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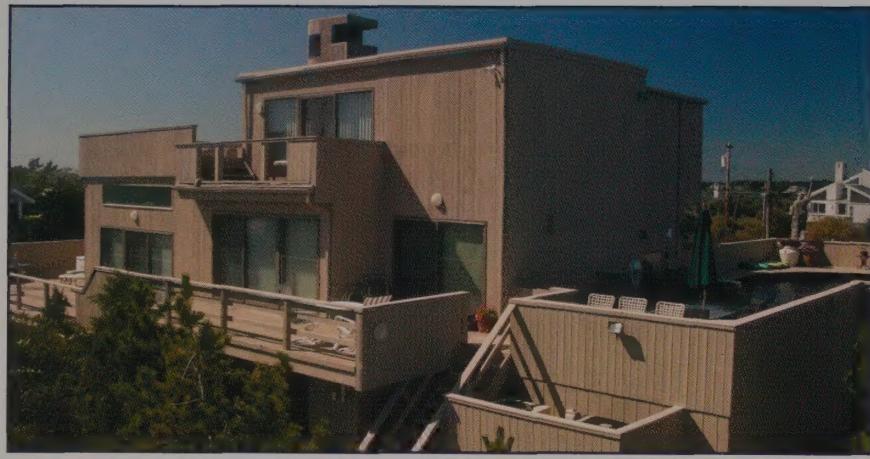
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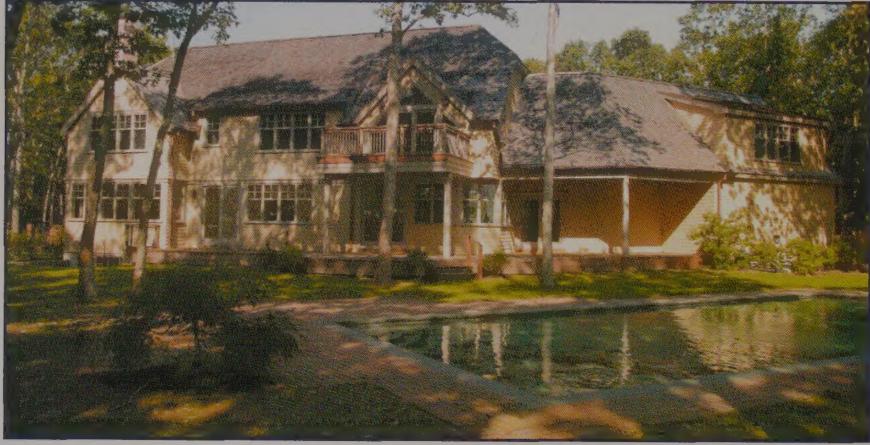


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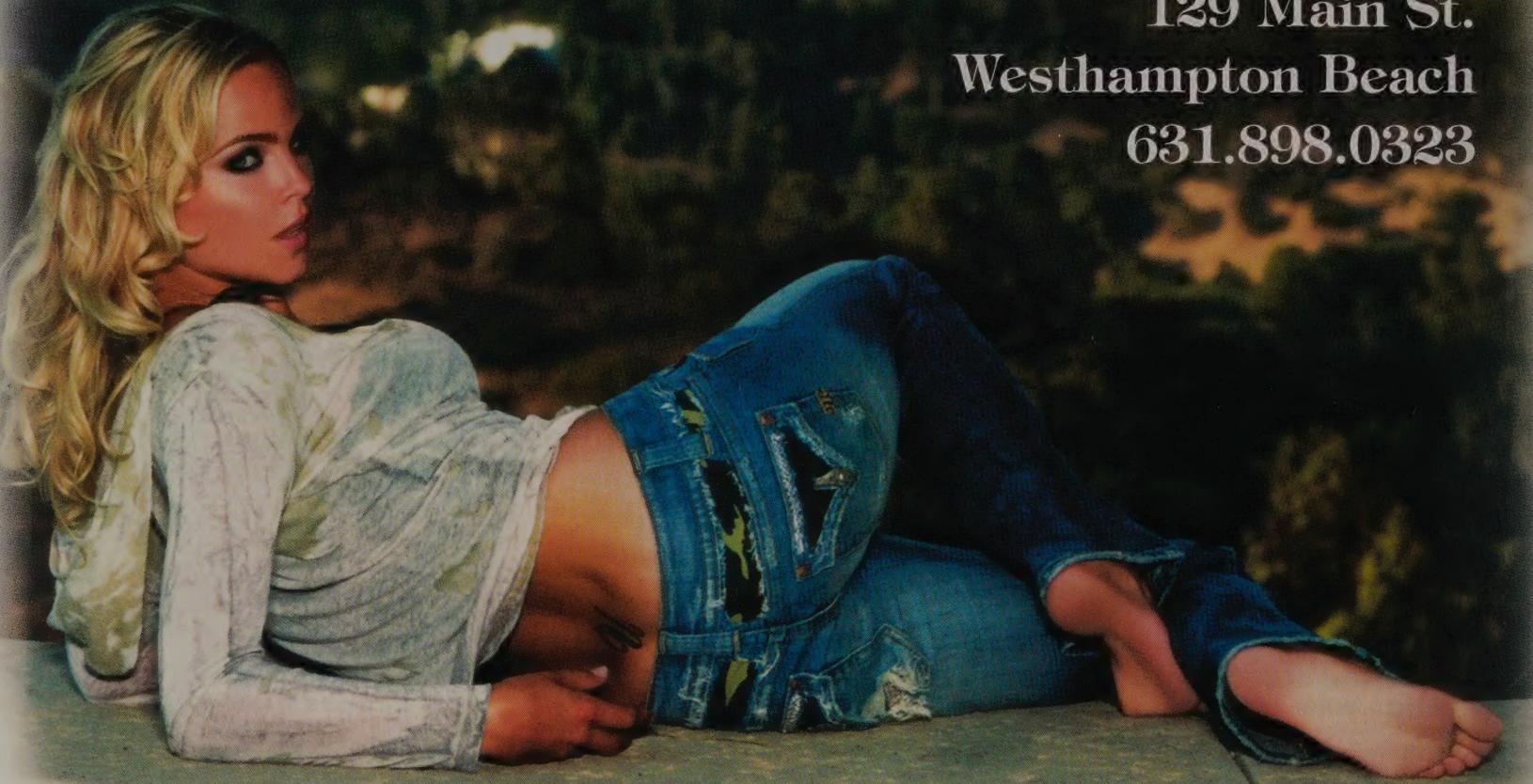
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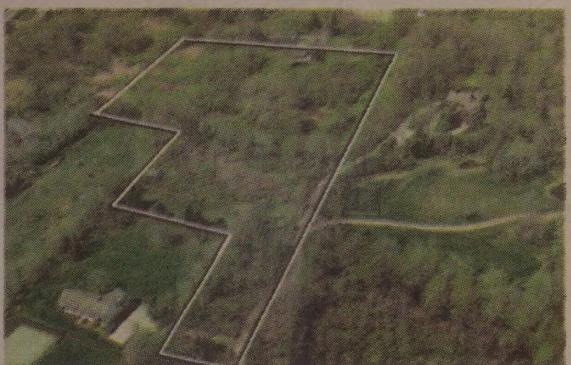
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**Open Property Viewing • Sat., Dec. 3 • All Day**  
228 Sagaponack Road, Bridgehampton South. \$2,975,000

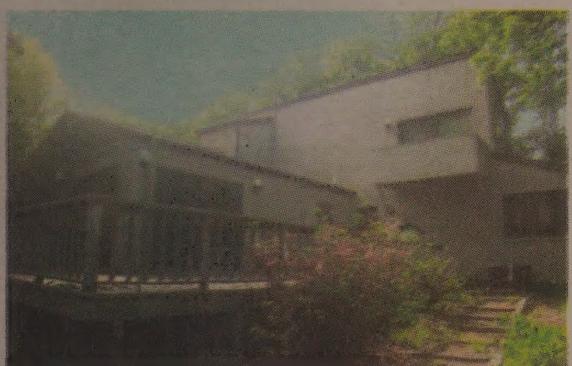
Rare, south of highway, 3.3-acre building parcel with room for a 7,500 sq. ft. estate home and pool. Exclusive. #44137. Dir: From Bridgehampton monument light, south on Ocean Road, east on Sagaponack Rd., driveway is on left-second lot off the road.

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**Open House • Sat., Dec. 3 • 11am-1pm**  
268 Hill Street, Southampton. \$2,595,000

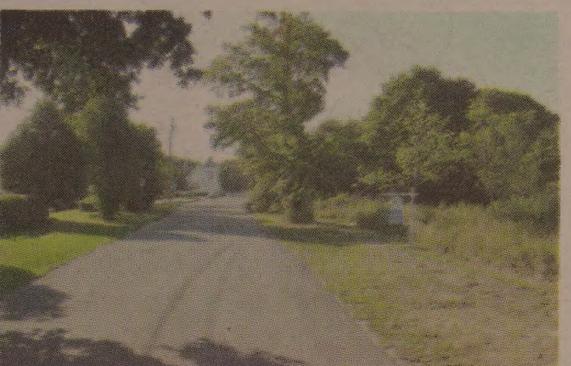
Beautiful restoration of historic Southampton Village home, this 3-story classic showcases wide plank floors, original beams in dining and living rooms, spectacular sunroom, large professional kitchen, 5 bedrooms and 4 renovated baths, plus a charming guest house with separate certificate of occupancy features a full kitchen, 2 baths, 2 bedrooms and living room with cathedral ceilings and French doors opening onto private, landscaped grounds and heated gunite pool. Exclusive. #54046. Dir: West on Hill Street, on the left. Southampton Office 631.283.4343



**Open House • Sat., Dec. 3 • 11am-1 pm**  
18 Scallop Ave., East Hampton. \$825,000

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**Open House • Sun., Dec. 4 • 2-4 pm**  
120 Sanford Place, Southampton. \$1,650,000

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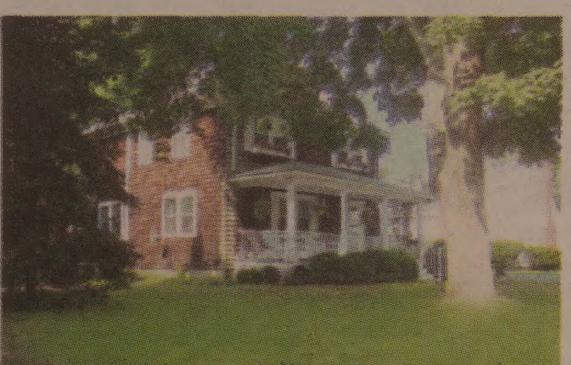
**Open House • Sat., Dec. 3 • 1-3pm**  
South of the Highway, Hampton Bays. \$459,000

Great residential location, close to schools, town and beach, oak floors, eat-in-kitchen, large living room, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath on .20 acre, full finished basement with inside and outside entrances and a laundry room. Exclusive. #56786 Dir: Montauk Hwy right on Ponquogue, left on Argonne East, left on Gravel Hill.



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**Open House • Sat & Sun., Dec. 3 & 4 • 12noon-2 pm**  
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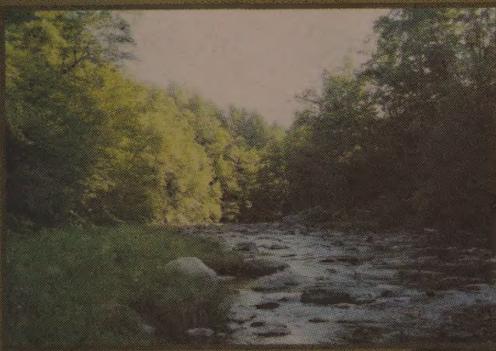
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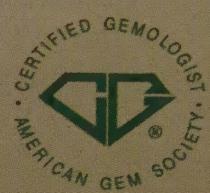
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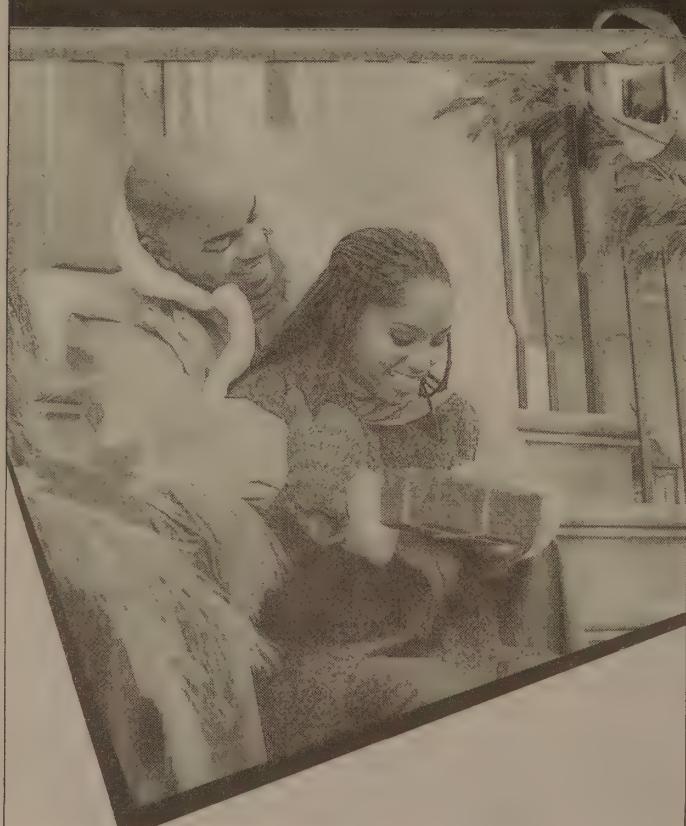
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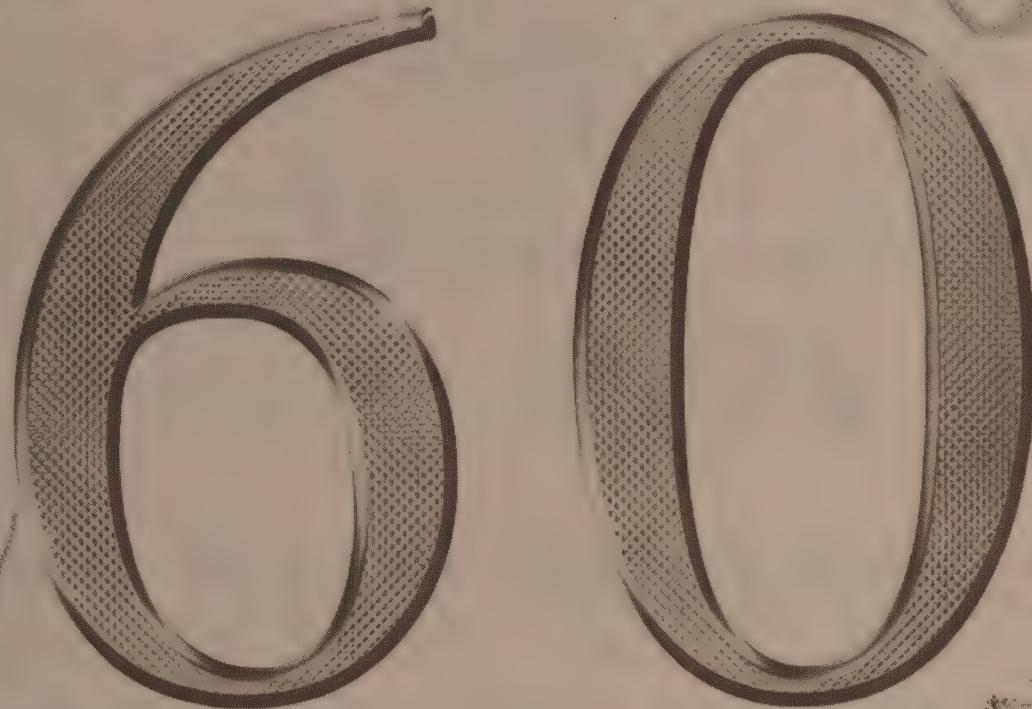
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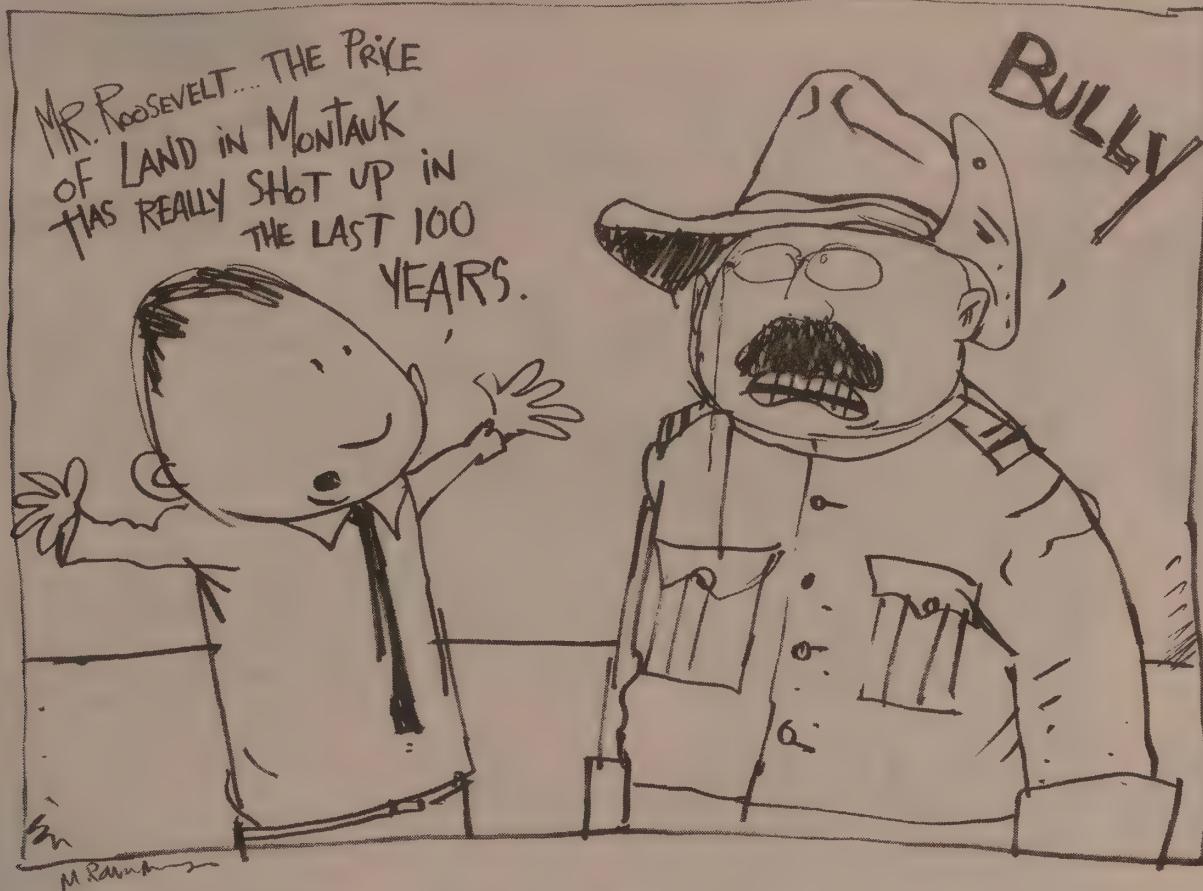
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# Bull Moose

## The Reason the Campaign Speech Fetched \$42,000 at Christie's

By Dan Rattiner

Two pages of a political campaign speech were auctioned off at Christie's last week. They fetched \$42,000 on spirited bidding after zooming past the upset price of \$6,000.

This is a lot of money for two pages of a 50-page political speech, particularly since it was a speech that never got delivered and the man running failed to get elected. But it was important nevertheless. On October 14, 1912, the handwritten copy of this speech, in the vest pocket of this Presidential candidate, saved his life. The story has particular meaning for Montauk. For that candidate is one of Montauk's favorite sons.

Fourteen years earlier, Teddy Roosevelt became an American hero by leading his Roughriders up San Juan Hill to rout the Spanish in Cuba. This marked our first military victory on the international stage and the arrival of this country as a major world power. With the war over, Roosevelt, the Roughriders and the rest of the American army returned to America by troop ship to a dock in Fort Pond Bay at Montauk, New York. There, for the months of August and September, 1898, these 34,000 troops encamped in the fields between Fort Pond and the Montauk Lighthouse on "maneuvers." Americans in small towns

throughout America were ecstatic about our triumphant victory over the Spanish and were eager to welcome home the soldiers with speeches and parades. But many soldiers were sick with tropical diseases. The President of the United States at the time, William McKinley, was advised to bring all the troops home from Cuba first to some remote area where they could either recover or die. Otherwise there might be an epidemic. Then

Taft. Because of Roosevelt's popularity, Taft won in a landslide. But after the election, Roosevelt and Taft had a falling out. Roosevelt didn't like how the fat man was running things.

By 1912, the year of the speech that was never delivered, Roosevelt was back running for President. He could not run as a Democrat, because Taft, the incumbent, was running on that ticket. And he couldn't run as a Republican because on that line was Woodrow Wilson. And so Roosevelt, who had recently come back from a safari in Africa, ran on a third party ticket he called "Bull Moose." It was going to be a close race.

Just three weeks before the election, on the afternoon of October 14, 1912, Roosevelt was scheduled to give a speech in Milwaukee. He had handwritten it, fifty pages long, while on the campaign train that morning,

and he had folded it up and put it in the vest pocket of his jacket. As the train came to a halt, he got up and walked out onto the rear platform of the railroad car. In the vest pocket, he also had his steel eyeglass case, containing the spectacles he would need to wear to read his speech. He never got to read it.

As he waved to the assembled crowd and  
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A bystander had seen a deranged man named John Schrank take out a pistol and aim it at the President's head from close range.

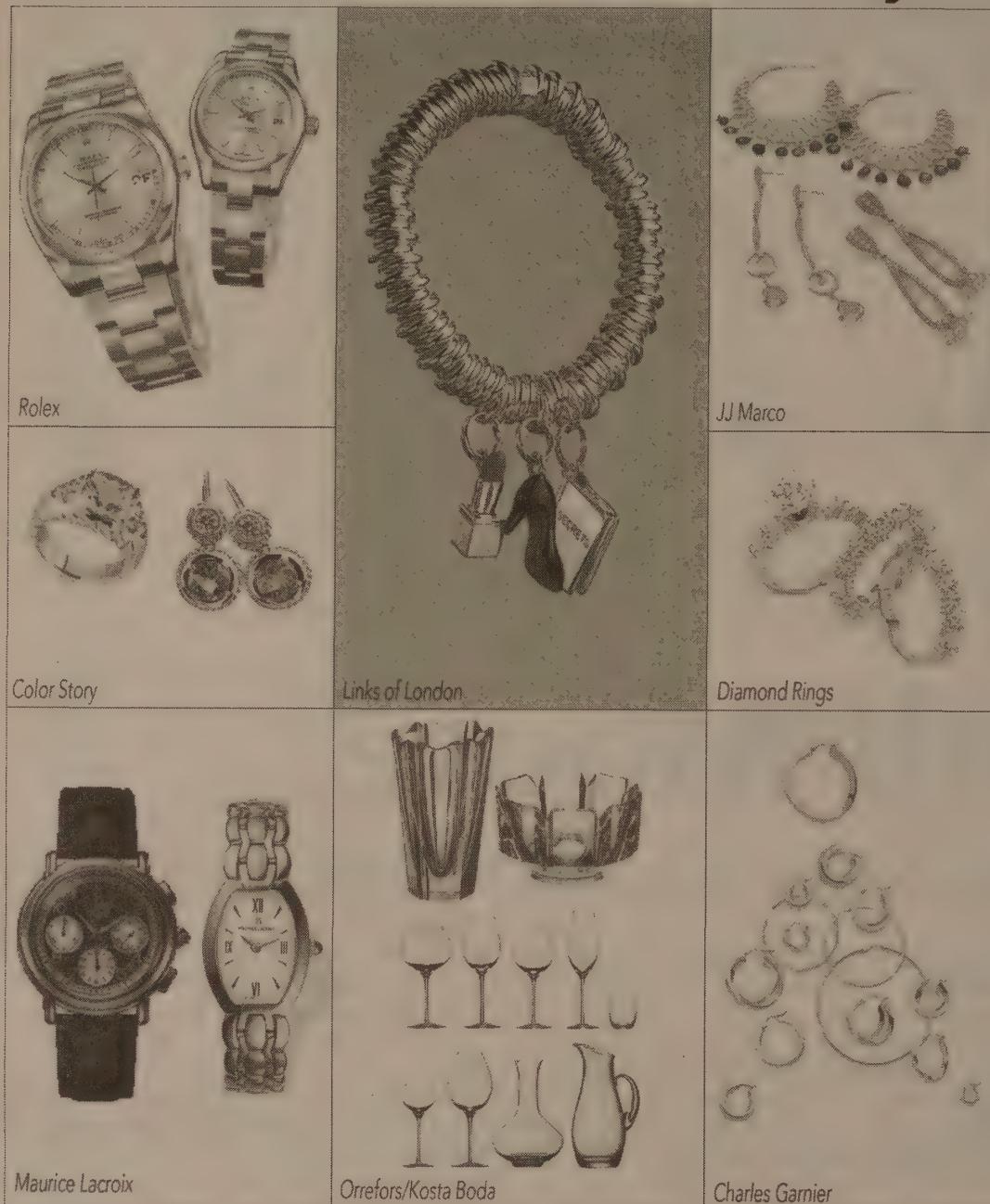
they could go home.

Thus they came to Montauk.

Within two years, Teddy Roosevelt was President of the United States. He served from 1900 until 1908, and is considered among the best presidents this country ever had.

At the end of his second term, he threw his support behind another fellow Democrat, a very overweight man named William Howard

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HBO's first annual Comedy Festival, which took place last weekend in Las Vegas, culminated with East Hampton's **Jerry Seinfeld** receiving the inaugural Comedian Award. The cable channel gave Seinfeld one of his first breaks in 1987 when they aired "Jerry Seinfeld: Stand-Up Confidential."

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**Paris Hilton**'s name appears to be everywhere. It's even in the new book jacket of *Airstream Living* by **Bruce Littlefield** and **Simon Brown**. The jacket says: "From Paris Hilton in 'The Simple Life' to designer **Ralph Lauren** who owns four, a new generation is discovering the versatility of these sleek metallic gems and the pleasure of owning them."

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**George Sullivan**, who's well known in the Hamptons for the many non-fiction books he has written for children and young adults, just had his latest published. It is called *Built to Last: Building America's Amazing Bridges, Dams, Tunnels, and Skyscrapers*.

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The late Kary Presten, who has spent many summers in Westhampton Beach, is mentioned in the new book, *One Phone Call Away: Secrets of a Master Networker* by **Jeffrey W. Meshel**, as being the co-founder of a high-level networking group called The Strategic Forum. Co-founder Meshel states that's where senior executives link up to create incredible opportunities.

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## BREAKING NEWS

### GAMBLERS WIN

The Supreme Court dealt foes of gambling casinos in New York a crippling blow on Monday. They refused to hear a lawsuit challenging the state's right to award gambling casinos within its boundaries. The decision is a victory for Governor Pataki, who defended that right since the revenues from gambling help pay the bills, and is a major defeat for anti-casino groups. "This is the end of the line," said attorney Cornelius Murray of Albany, who had led the lawsuit up to the Supreme Court on behalf of a coalition of anti-gaming groups. "There's no place left to go."

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smiled, a shot rang out, and he felt something hit his chest. But he did not fall down.

In the crowd, a bystander had seen a deranged man named John Schrank take out a pistol and aim it at the President's head from close range. Instinctively, the bystander tried to bat the gun away, hitting the man's arm and ruining his aim just moments before he fired. He then wrestled the man to the ground.

Roosevelt leaned on the railing and felt his jacket. There was blood on his fingers. The bullet, a .38, had glanced off the eyeglass case inside the vest pocket and then traversed through all 100 pages of the folded speech. The speech slowed the bullet to such a degree that when it entered the candidate's chest, it only went in about an inch — never getting beyond the chest wall.

Roosevelt walked off the train, and was

taken to a Milwaukee hospital where he was treated with an injection of tetanus vaccine and then sent on to a hospital in Chicago to remain under observation for the next eight days. The bullet was never removed, but it was reliably reported in the papers that all the other people on the ward where Roosevelt was recovering complained bitterly that the candidate snored so loud it shook the room.

The speech saved Roosevelt's life, but, arguably, it lost him the election. In the hospital



tal, he was now completely out of commission for the final run up to election day, and in the voting, he finished a close second, behind Woodrow Wilson, but ahead of his now hated foe, the even more overweight than before William Howard Taft.

The two pages sold at Christie's to an unidentified bidder each contained two bullet holes, as one might expect. Where the other 48 pages are is not

known. Perhaps the buyer will donate the document to the Montauk Lighthouse Historical Museum collection. •

## CATHY LESTER, 60

By Debbie Tuma

Cathy Lester, a former East Hampton Town Supervisor and long-time baywoman, died on November 21 at Southampton Hospital, of an apparent heart attack.

She served as both a councilwoman and as East Hampton Town Supervisor, during the 1990's, and she was active throughout her life fishing the bays with her late husband Tom Lester. During a packed funeral service held at Yardley and Pino in East Hampton last Friday night, she was remembered by many of her

Democrat colleagues from the country and Town.

"Cathy has left her mark on a remarkable 350 year-old community, and she also leaves adversaries who secretly admired her," said New York State Democratic Chairwoman Judith Hope. "Because of her, thousands of acres of waterways and farmlands will be forever preserved."

Many people praised her efforts to protect the East End environment, instituting the 4% sales tax to preserve the land, and also its animals. Councilman Job Potter said, "I served with Cathy on the board, and I saw how she fought

against pollution of the bays, and advocated for the plovers. She also sponsored many programs for seniors and for the poor of this town."

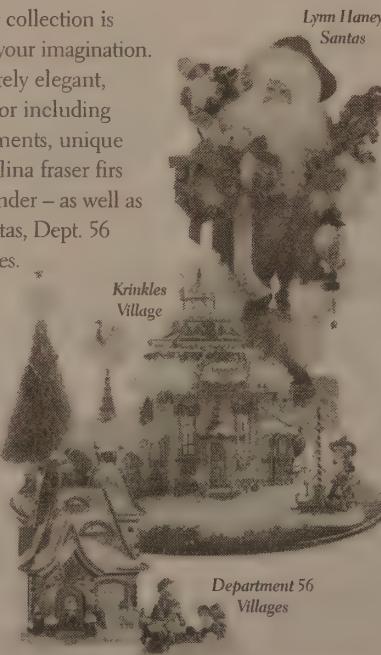
Lester was born March 4, 1945 in Southampton to Reuben Shaffer and Helen Dix, and she is predeceased by her husband, bayman Tom Lester. She is survived by her daughter, Della Bennett, of North Sea. She was cremated, and interred in the family lot at Round Swamp Cemetery in East Hampton. Memorial donations can be made to the East Hampton Bayman's Association.

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## WHAT SHEEP TALK ABOUT...



## Baaaaa

## New Zealand Wrestles With Meeting their Kyoto Accord Obligations

By Dan Rattiner

Dan's Papers has maintained a very close relationship with the other side of the world over the years. The reason is that for each of the past 31 years, we have run a contest where we ask readers to cut out a dateline of this newspaper when they go off for the winter on their travels, and then from wherever they go, mail it back to us. The person who sends us a dateline from the farthest away wins a \$50 prize. We announce the winner in mid-December.

As a result of this, we have developed correspondence with people in New Zealand, Australia, China, Japan and Thailand. As for the farthest point away from Bridgehampton in the world, if you were to dig a hole straight down from our office, you would come out in the Indian Ocean, with the nearest landfall the small town named Augusta on the west coast of Australia.

We will report on the result of our 2005 contest next week, but this week, we'd like to talk about what's new in New Zealand.

As I am sure you know, the United States is not among the countries that signed the Kyoto Accord on greenhouse gases. There are in the world 192 countries. At Kyoto ten years ago, 156 of them signed this agreement, among

them New Zealand. By signing it, New Zealand and all the others pledged to follow the rules of the Kyoto Accord, which means, using an agreed upon schedule, reducing the amount of global warming carbon that they throw up into the atmosphere year by year. New Zealand takes this very seriously.

The initial period for which the reduction in gases is to go into effect is from April 2006 to April 2012. Countries are to reduce their emissions

they began to come up with plans to reduce emissions. From these plans would come bills that would be voted on in April of 2005 and they would then be in effect, one year ahead of schedule.

In the autumn of 2004, I received a letter from a correspondent in Auckland, New Zealand, named E. J. Collins. In it was a news clipping. Parliament was considering the fact that a very large emission into the atmosphere

from the country was sheep farts. New Zealand has 50 million sheep, ten times the number of people. The total amount of the methane gases emitted by the back end of sheep could not be ignored.

According to the news clipping, the government was considering passing a law making it mandatory for sheep farmers to change the feed they give their sheep. There was a more expensive feed. And it produced

fewer sheep farts. Representatives in Parliament, from such cities as Wellington and Christchurch, were making resounding speeches about the benefits of the more expensive feed. Representatives in rural areas were predicting doom for the farmers if this law were passed. The more expensive feed would cause an increase in the price of the wool. New

The government was considering passing a law making it mandatory for sheep farmers to change the feed they give their sheep.

sion levels to what they were in 1990. After 2012 they are to reduce their levels by an even larger amount.

As the government of New Zealand began to approach the looming deadline of April 2006, they took a hard look at what it is that they send into the atmosphere. They began these studies five years ago and one by one, the reports came in. Then, in the autumn of 2004,

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Zealand would lose its market share in the world, they said. Economic collapse would follow.

It takes a while for news to get from down under out to the rest of the world. And so it was only in the past month that I learned from some news clippings sent by Mrs. B. Cox in Christchurch to Jenny Schlecht in Cutchogue and then on to me what finally transpired when crunch time came in April of this year in the New Zealand Parliament. Honestly, I am rather disappointed with what they did. But then what do you expect when a bunch of politicians get together? What they did, however, is a lesson for us to consider when, finally, this country gets around to signing on the dotted line to save the planet, which, eventually we will have to do.

In the end, New Zealand did what every government does when confronted with a problem. They placed a tax on it. It is called the Carbon Tax, and it requires that businesses and individuals pay the government \$15 for every ton of carbon emissions thrown up into the atmosphere as the result of any commercial sale. The government, going through everything in the country that gets sold, has created complicated formulas based on particular goods and services. The tax will cost homeowners an additional one cent for every kilowatt of electricity they buy. They will pay an additional 46 cents for every 9 kg container of propane gas, 4 cents more for every litre of gasoline and 68 cents more for every 20 kg bag of coal.

They expect that the existence of this tax



will cause people to shy away from buying things that have the tax on it in favor of those that don't. For example, electricity that comes from a coal-fired plant is taxed, but electricity that comes from a hydroelectric plant is not. (New Zealand has a ban on all nuclear plants since it made a decision in the late 1980s to be a nuclear free zone.)

The other thing the existence of this tax will do is bring in money. It's expected that \$600 million a year will be raised this first year. What they will do with this money is not clear though there is discussion about it. Interestingly, nowhere is there talk that they will use any of it for emission-reducing initiatives. The reason is that big business has let up a howl about how this new tax will affect them. They want rebates.

And they will get them. The government is setting up a board to give out Negotiated Greenhouse Agreements involving rebates or exemptions to those that appear before them and make a good case. They are predicting that \$200 million a year will be given out in this manner, essentially just sending the money around and around. As for the remaining \$400 million, who knows? Probably much of it will have to be used to pay additional tax collectors, auditors and Greenhouse Agreement Board members.

For a while during the debates, it looked as if the government might put a tax on hydroelectric power. A report circulated in Parliament about a study in Brazil that found methane gases were emitted into the atmosphere from the lakes created behind the hydroelectric plants. These new lakes caused vegetable matter to be rotted on the lake bottoms. When the lake water went through the plant, methane from the decayed vegetable matter was emitted into the atmosphere in amounts greater than if the plants were driven by oil. In the end, however, it was noted that the Brazilian study was done in a rainforest, while the hydroelectric plants in New Zealand were largely in unforested areas. And so they dropped that idea.

As for the sheep, Parliament voted not to require a change in the feed. Sheep are the mainstay of the economy. Let them fart all they want. We'll deal with it later. This part of the new law is known as the Livestock and Agriculture Exemption Clause.

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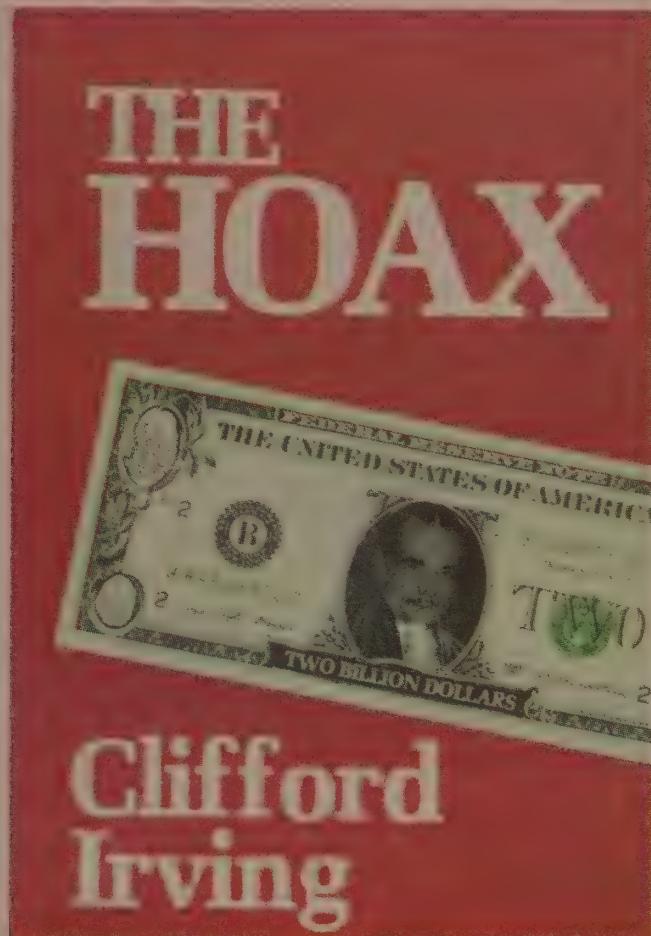
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By Dan Rattiner

In 1986, a small Sag Harbor book publisher agreed to produce a book that no major book publisher wanted to produce. It had been written in prison ten years earlier. It was a confessional, really, about the crime the author had committed that resulted in his year and a half incarceration. He had confessed to it in court. Plea bargained. Now he had written it all down. The Sag Harbor publisher, a man named Marty Shepherd, agreed to publish it in a small quantity. The author, a man named Clifford Irving, could sell it privately or in a few select bookstores. Perhaps he could even send it out to reviewers.

Irving sent it out. He even sent it, at Marty's request, to this newspaper. Irving lived in East Hampton and I knew him. But I declined to review it. I had more important things to do.

Next year, thirty years after this book was written and twenty years after its limited publication, it will premiere as a major motion picture. Entitled *Hoax*, it will star Richard Gere as Clifford Irving, Marcia Gay Harden as his long suffering wife Edith, Alfred Molina as Irving's sidekick and veteran star Eli Wallach as the chief advisor to the richest man in the world at the time, Howard Hughes. The film is directed by Lasse Hallstrom (most recently the director of *An Unfinished Life*, *The Shipping*

*News*, *Chocolat*, and *The Cider House Rules*.) Some of the other characters in it are Truman Capote, played by Michael J. Burg, Cyd Charisse played by Stacy Lynn Spierer, and a host of other characters who are identified as, among others, a McGraw Hill Security Guard, a bowling alley attendant, a salesman, feral girl #2, Daniels and Topless hippie (played by Olja Hrustic).

The movie, to be distributed by Miramax, was filmed on a tight 41-day schedule this summer in Fajardo, Rio Grande and San Juan, Puerto Rico, Manhattan and White Plains. One interesting scene was filmed at the Central

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### WHAT PRESIDENT GEORGE W. BUSH ACTUALLY SAID

By Dan Rattiner

At the present time, George W. Bush is making speeches claiming his critics are "revising" history about the war in Iraq.

"Everyone has a right to disagree with the decisions I made," he said. "But no one has the right to revise what was said at the time."

Democrats have accused him of lying to the American people before the war to get them to vote for the war. He is being accused of unequivocally stating that Iraq had weapons of mass destruction. He says he never said that. And the Democrats are revising history to make it appear that he did.

Here are some of the exact words said by the President prior to the war. Also, this commentator's exact words in this newspaper at the time.

"We know with absolute certainty that Saddam Hussein has Weapons of Mass Destruction. Nuclear bombs. Chemical weapons. And biological weapons." — George W. Bush, October 13, 2002.

"We've learned that Iraq has trained al Qaeda members in bomb-making and poisons and deadly gases." — George W. Bush, December 7, 2002.

"George Bush threatened to rain hydrogen bombs down on the heads of the Iraqis the other day. He said if they attack us with biological or chemical weapons, he would launch a full-scale nuclear assault. Those were his words." — Dan Rattiner, December 20, 2002

"Regarding mobile chemical labs, every statement I make today is backed up by solid evidence." — George W. Bush, December 21, 2002.

"It is not exactly clear to me why President Bush is so eager to go to war with Iraq. Al Qaeda, the Taliban, Osama bin Laden and the

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## Hoax

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Park Boathouse.

What got author Clifford Irving in jail occurred in 1971. At the time, he was living in East Hampton, making his living as a writer, authoring books of fiction and nonfiction. Among his successes was a biography of a well-known art forger named Elmyr de Hory.

In 1971, billionaire Howard Hughes was running his empire from a penthouse suite in Las Vegas, where he had lived for twenty years guarded by a small army of Mormon security people. He never left the suite, and he never met anyone face to face. It was widely reported that he wore a bathrobe all day, or nothing at all. And that he had a full white beard that came down to his waist and that he had let his fingernails grow out six inches or more. But

nobody really knew the truth.

Clifford Irving decided to write the autobiography of Howard Hughes. He would go to a publisher and say he had Hughes' blessing and had met him and discussed his life many times. He would present handwritten notes from Hughes, written to him about various events in his life. He would do all this without ever having met the man. And he would make a bundle. Irving went to McGraw Hill in Manhattan and sold the project for \$500,000, one hundred for him, and four hundred for Hughes, which Irving promised he would personally deliver to the billionaire. McGraw Hill read the outline, read Hughes' notes — they even had a handwriting expert



look at it — who declared it authentic and wrote Irving a check. (Samples of Hughes' handwriting had appeared in *Time Magazine*. Irving learned to copy it.) Irving then settled down to write.

The book never came out. The public was so eager to see it and the publisher was so eager to promote it that excerpts of certain chapters appeared in *LIFE Magazine* prior to publication. And Howard Hughes read them. He exploded. Although he still would not appear in public, Hughes arranged for a press conference by telephone from his apartment, at which time, with almost the entire world listening in, he denounced Clifford Irving and declared that *The Authorized Biography of Howard Hughes* was a hoax. He'd never met the man.

"I only wish I were still in the movie business," Hughes said wistfully, referring to his years as a filmmaker in the 1930s, "because I don't remember any script I ever saw in Hollywood as wild or imagination-stretching as this autobiography yarn has turned out to be."

Irving and his wife were arrested — he for defrauding McGraw Hill and she for physically putting the cash into a Swiss bank account — and all the copies of the Hughes autobiography had to be destroyed. (Although publication in book form was forever forbidden, the *Autobiography of Howard Hughes* was placed on the Internet, briefly, in 1999.) In the end, Edith received a jail sentence that was suspended and Clifford served a year and a half in prison for his crime. And in prison, Irving wrote the story about the story, which he called *The Hoax*. *The Hoax* is what is being made into the film today.

Although no part of this film was made in the Hamptons, much of it took place here. Irving wrote "The Autobiography of Howard Hughes" here, and after he was arraigned, he hired a local attorney, William Maloney, to represent him. Also, with McGraw Hill pressing their case, IRS agents raided an art gallery opening on Jobs Lane in Southampton for painter Edith Irving, who was selling her work in the hopes of making enough money to provide restitution.

And there are numerous other Hamptons connections. This is a New York media story after all. Eli Wallach, with his wife Anne Jackson, lives here. Truman Capote lived here. Marcia Gay Harden won a Best Supporting Actress Academy Award for her performance as Jackson Pollock's wife in *POLLOCK* which was filmed here.

As for Clifford Irving, he returned to East Hampton after his stint in jail, and after that lived for a while in San Miguel de Allende, Mexico. He was divorced from Edith, and she moved to Ibiza, Spain. Today, Irving is living in Aspen, Colorado and is still writing away. (His most recent books are *Final Argument* and *The Spring*.) He's been paid for the rights to his life story and the rights to *Hoax* and he doesn't have a problem with that.

"I made 21 cents an hour while I was in prison," he said. "It balances out."

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# Snook, Sloth & Co.

## 'It's a Big Big World,' Made in East Hampton, Premieres on PBS

By Julia Nasser

Along with most of our nation's viewing public under the age of seven, I tuned in to Channel 13 this weekend for a sneak preview of the upcoming PBS program "It's A Big Big World," which will begin airing in January. The series uses Shadowmation, an innovative process that combines ancient puppetry with cutting edge computer graphics. The effect is a visually startling scene set in a 3D world of gargantuan trees and crystalline water, gnarling roots and infinite skies. Here is where Snook, a gigantic, peace-promoting sloth, lives with his friends in the World Tree (largest tree on earth). It's like nothing else you've seen on television. Imagine *Dark Crystal* meets *Toy Story*, set in a lush jungle to Afro-Latin percussion.

While set in a South American rainforest, the series is actually produced locally, in East Hampton at Wainscott Studios. You might recognize its name due to the ongoing WGA strike which has attracted, along with a lot of negative attention to the project, the infamous inflatable, buck-toothed and red-eyed labor-union rat that stood outside the gates last August. Despite all the press, little has been said about the program itself, or what goes on across the picket line, in that enormous and

mysterious building without windows on Industrial Road.

Wainscott Studios is a 10,000 square foot, hangar-like space set back from the road. To get there one passes an evangelical church housed in a retired factory building with Jesus signs plastered to its facade. Down the street is a rehab clinic and nearby is The East Hampton Airport. The back road is an unlikely location for a PBS and Sony sponsored project of this

Water Mill resident, expected when he transformed the out-of-the-way building into a professional blue screen stage, with puppet shop, editing studio, endless rooms of gear and gadgets, sound studios and office space.

After being heckled by picketers and taking two wrong turns, I finally arrived at the studio last week for a look. Before me was a huge stage painted electric blue from cement floor to 56-foot ceiling. On it stood the sloth, and next

to him were Wartz and Madge, a singing tree-frog and an ancient she-turtle with an unforgettably kind and wrinkled face and a map of the world on her shell. Behind the puppets, almost a dozen people clad in fluorescent-blue, skin-tight unitards were chatting casually. Soon, the break ended and cameras began moving along tracks. Behind the sloth, three people gathered, then began moving, as one body, in perfect harmony

around the stage.

These puppeteers are highly respected professionals trained in *ban raku*, an ancient Japanese form of puppetry. Watching a small screen from inside the suit, one person controls its head and right arm, another is responsible for the left arm while a third controls the feet. They travel as a strange and graceful six-

Behind the sloth, three people gathered, then began moving, as one body, in perfect harmony around the stage.

magnitude.

The roar of jet engines that usually infuriates residents now competes with the group of picketers moaning through megaphones just outside the studio, not to mention the bagpipe music blasted through mega-speakers in retaliation and the occasional honks from passing cars. This commotion is not what Mitchell Kriegman, creator of "It's a Big Big World" and

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## Snook

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legged beast and are even taught Tai-chi to foster fluidity of movement. Their ludicrous blue ninja suits match the giant screen behind. This allows these discrete figures to be edited out of the shots. Then the puppets are placed before a computer generated background, edited in studio, and sent to a lab in Canada for processing.

This method, called Shadowmation, is the brainchild of Mitchell Kriegman. Live action flexible animatronics characters are placed in real time, high definition virtual environments. Every image is pristine, colors are dazzling, graphics are immaculate and the puppets are warm and life-like, far from the wooden, knock-kneed Pinocchios of the past. Even the wobbly, felt puppets from "Sesame Street" seem inanimate by comparison. These can raise an eyebrow, depict any emotion with the slightest gesture of paw, furrow a brow, wink or smirk. The mystic monkey does Tai Chi; the anteater can moon walk and they all sing, play instruments and dance like little John Travoltas.

Snook, our leader, is soft with round, shiny eyes and a voice like a kindergarten teacher from Mendocino County. He is surrounded by a cast of eccentric companions in The World Tree, including Bob, the hypersensitive and perpetually overwhelmed anteater, an ancient turtle named Madge and Oko, a mystic mon-



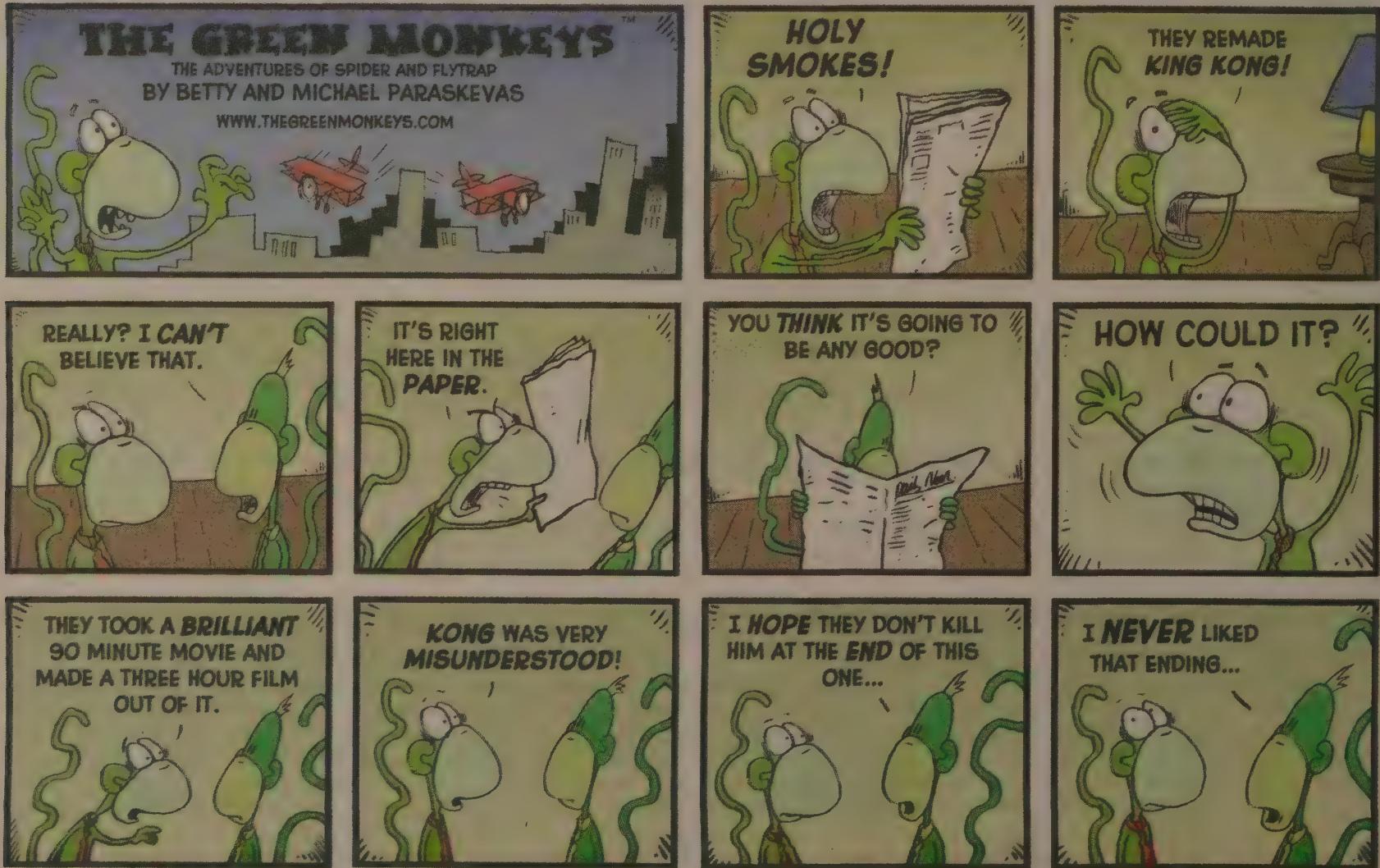
key-guru. There is also a neurotic, braggart fish named Ick, a know-it-all bird named Burdette and a pair of rambunctious marmoset siblings who go by Smooch and Winslow. Kriegman, besides patenting Shadowmation, is a former writer of "Saturday Night Live," and executive head writer of "Ren and Stimpy," "Rugrats" and "Doug." He created "Clarissa Explains it All," along with "Bear in the Big Blue House," "Elmo in Grouchland" and "Book of Pooh," and has received numerous Emmys and Parent's Choice awards, solidifying his legendary status in the world of kids' programming.

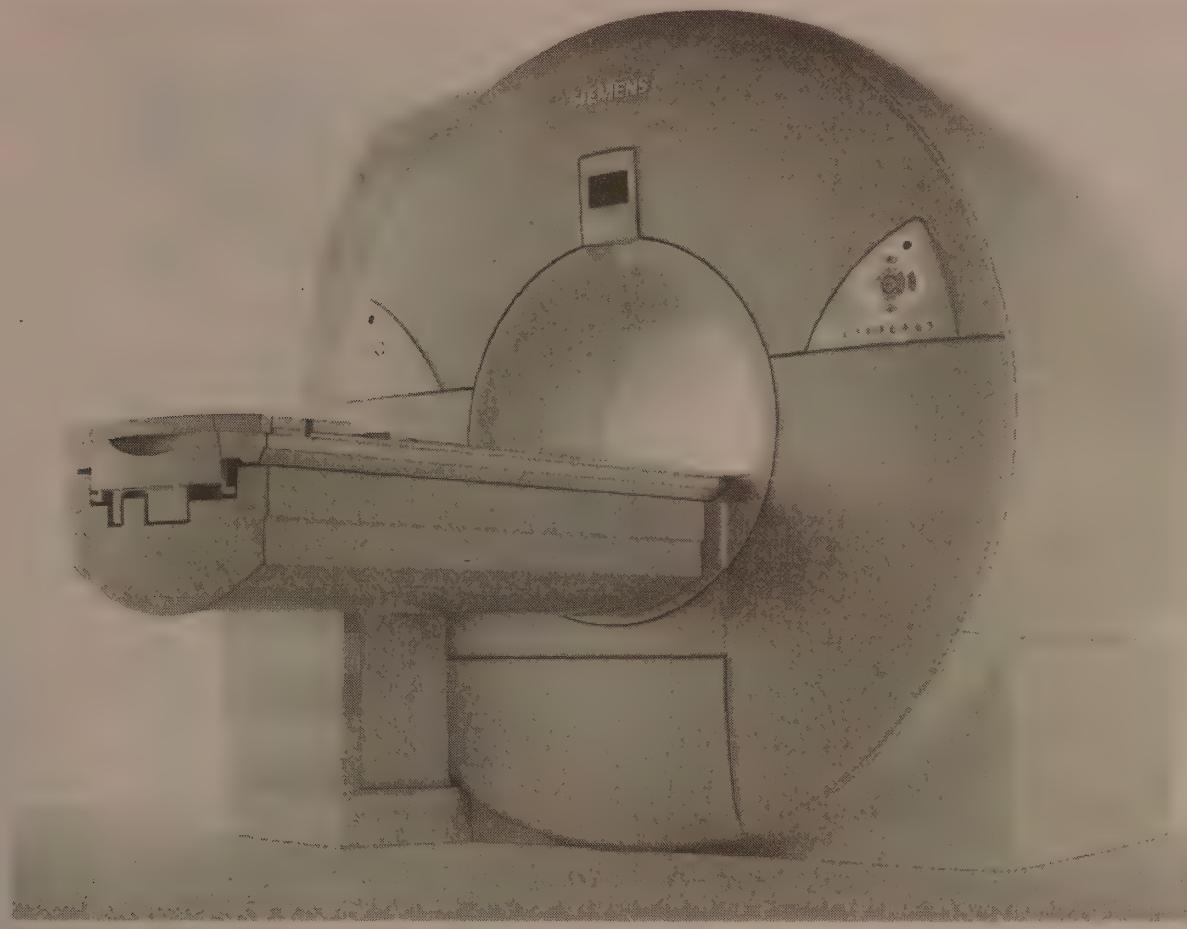
He began developing the concept for "It's a Big Big World" after 9/11, setting out to create a show that would help kids "understand and feel good about the world." It uses geography and geo-science to develop a sense of safety, understanding and tolerance, exploring tricky subjects and making them approachable. His investigative and scientific approach to the puzzling world, while informative, never fails to be playful. Gravity and balance, for example, are taught through jungle seesaw-scenes. In one episode, Bob the anteater dresses up as an ant, picks up a magnifying glass and follows the marching ants in hopes of understanding them.

The average TV set is on more than seven hours a day, and children watch an average of 20-24 hours of TV a week. That's an entire day's worth. It can pollute and debase, desensitize kids to the consequences of violence but it can also educate, illuminate, and entertain. It was Big Bird that taught me how to count; Mr. Rogers to share. Without being moralistic in tone, "It's a Big Big World" promotes open-mindedness and acceptance, non-violence and compassion. Interspersed are animal kingdom factoids and age appropriate science. Did you know that ants only sleep for a few minutes at a time?

The energy inside Kriegman's studios is

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# Health Society

## Doctors Seek Donations to Make Our Hospital the Best It Can Be

By David Stoll

Given the extraordinary wealth in the Hamptons, people might assume that our health-care delivery system rivals that of the wealthy Manhattan neighborhoods. After all, one can have a heart attack just as easily when sitting on his porch overlooking Mecox Bay as when sitting in his living room overlooking the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Yet, for a variety of reasons, our only hospital faces numerous challenges, and it is often difficult to attract doctors and nurses to the East End. Many people are addressing these issues from a variety of fronts. Among them are Dr. Peter Michalos, who has made public his 18-month effort to

raise funds for medical goods and services that are lacking on the East End. He has announced a goal of raising \$40,000,000.

Dr. Michalos, an ophthalmologist who performs surgery at Southampton Hospital and also lives in Southampton, has been cited in *New York Magazine's* annual top doctors issue. In addition to his Southampton practice, he teaches at the Columbia Medical Center. With such credentials and time demands, why would he take on fund raising? He feels strongly that Southampton Hospital should rival any in Manhattan, and that wealthy Hamptons homeowners should share this desire. But today, Southampton Hospital has a debt load of

\$40 million (allegedly the result of mismanagement by one of the hospital's prior CEOs, John F. Ferry, Jr.). Because the interest on this debt results in the hospital losing money each year, buying needed new medical equipment is challenging. Moreover, the hospital is treated as a rural hospital for Medicare reimbursement purposes, meaning that it receives less money than do most hospitals in New York State. On top of that, doctors on Long Island pay among the highest medical malpractice premiums in the State. All of this makes recruiting top doctors difficult.

Even so, Dr. Michalos' organization, the

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## IS IT JUST THE CASINO? WE FOUND OUT

By Debbie Tuma

One of the odd puzzles involving the attempt by the Shinnecocks to obtain federal recognition has been their motives. Until last month, they did not have this recognition. Then a federal judge granted it. Whether this leads to a recognition by the United States Bureau of Indian Affairs, or if it does not, the question still remains — why do they want this?

The obvious answer is that they want to build a casino. In a recent interview, our Assemblyman Fred W. Thiele, who vehemently opposes the building of a casino in these parts — almost everyone is against it — says that that is all the

Shinnecocks are interested in. The Indians say this is not about a casino at all. They have lived in poverty, without many of the benefits that others in the area have. Recognition gives them those benefits. To which Thiele replied, "They already receive everything they are entitled to. The only difference federal recognition will get them is the casino."

What is the truth? We looked into the matter. And this is what we found. With full Bureau of Indian Affairs recognition, the Shinnecocks will get all of the following that they do not now.

They will be eligible for a myriad of federal programs and benefits in addition to building a

gambling casino. There are two federal agencies which confer benefits and sovereign rights to Indian tribes — the Department of Health and Human Services Indian Health Service (HIS) and the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), both based in Washington, D.C. They have a combined annual budget of over \$4 billion, an amount that has increased by \$1 billion since the regulatory recognition process was established in 1978. Both agencies have established procedures for funding newly recognized tribes.

At HIS, newly recognized tribes are assigned funds on a case by case basis. At BIA, it is deter-

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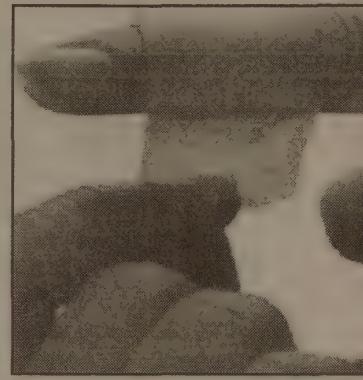
Hamptons Health Society, does not exist to raise money specifically for Southampton Hospital, nor is it affiliated with the hospital in any way, although the hospital has been and will be the major beneficiary. Rather, Dr. Michalos and his fellow board members consult with their advisory committee of nearly 50 East End physicians about what specific medical goods and services are needed. Specific donations are then earmarked for, or sometimes paid directly, to obtain those particular items and services. The board members and advisors are unpaid volunteers.

Dr. Michalos began this effort in July 2004. Since then, many important items have been acquired. For example, because wheelchairs were being stolen, his group bought seven new wheelchairs, like those at airports, which cannot be folded and stored in a car trunk. They bought a state-of-the-art defibrillator, which even some Manhattan hospitals do not have yet. Perhaps less sexy but certainly as important, they also bought more pillows, blankets and trauma stretchers. Just last week, they bought a special bassinet used for holding jaundiced newborns receiving ultra-violet treatment, at a cost of \$5,600. In addition, funds are used to create scholarships for people who wish to become nurses and will commit to spend at least three years working on the East End. So far, about \$250,000 in good and services have been spent. Most of the money was raised by Dr. Michalos from his friends and contacts in the Greek community.

Dr. Michalos believes that Southampton Hospital's new CEO, John Kastanis, is "fantastic" and is already doing an "unbelievable job" in making improvements in hospital management, recruiting and other areas. Likewise, he praises the \$2 million in free care given by the hospital's physicians last year and the \$6 million in free care provided by the hospital. Even so, Dr. Michalos warns that people cannot assume

that the hospital will be around forever without the generosity of wealthy Hamptons residents, and that if the hospital were to close, property values would plummet. Hospitals throughout Long Island have closed down, and Southampton Hospital cannot lose money forever. Moreover, even if Mr. Kastanis succeeds in turning the hospital around, Dr. Michalos wants his three 9-year-old daughters and weekend guests to have the same first-rate medical care they would receive in Manhattan.

So, with his quiet fundraising successes behind him, Dr. Michalos decided to set a large fundraising goal and publicize his efforts, as a "wake-up call" to the very people who give freely to Manhattan hospitals and other charities. He is not so concerned that people give to his organization, but rather that they give at all, even if to the hospital directly or to local charitable organizations. He also stressed that



buying tickets at charitable events such as the Hamptons Classic is not enough, as the Hospital itself may receive only a small amount.

The \$40,000,000 goal set for Hamptons Health Society was chosen in part because that is the amount of debt owed by Southampton Hospital. However, the funds raised will not be used to pay down the debt or otherwise be given to the hospital directly, but will

(as before) go toward specified goods or services that are needed. Eight-figure donations could allow a new hospital wing to be built, and Dr. Michalos hopes a bank or other organization will want to have a new wing named after it. More modest donations can help to attract young doctors, not only by paying their salaries but also by providing housing assistance.

Because so many people who come to the Hamptons are from the Upper East Side of Manhattan and look to New York Hospital for their needs, Dr. Michalos's group has acquired a video-conferencing system to allow communication between Southampton Hospital and New York Hospital. He wants people to view Southampton Hospital as an extension of their City hospital and support it accordingly. He sums up his mission with a reminder: "The life Southampton Hospital saves could be yours."

## Snook

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charged with frantic creativity and people seem to be moving at all times, incessantly trouble shooting. There are guitars in various rooms and jingles are created on the spot. Everyone carries clipboards and walkie-talkies. Phones are always ringing. Of the crew, many have been bused from all over the

country and beyond, to our small community. They are housed in Southampton College dorms. Many members of the crew have worked on the great oldies including "Sesame Street," "Fraggle Rock" using cutting-edge special effects in different eras. Bruce Logan, who's in charge of special effects, is the man

responsible for exploding the Death Star.

When immersed in the dazzling 3D jungle, singing along to songs over indigenous percussion beats with guru monkeys and tropical fish, one feels far from the familiar paved world of "Sesame Street." This is the point, according to Kriegman, who aims to teach children to look beyond their immediate surroundings, and teach them that they belong to a larger world community.

Kriegman received over \$10 million to produce the show from PBS and the Sony Corporation; Sony also bought the rights to sell merchandise depicting the animal characters. This means that by next Christmas parents will be lining up outside of toy stores across America at the crack of dawn; sweet mothers will be clawing and biting each other to buy the last talking Snook doll or original series video game.

These creatures will become as familiar as the faces of presidents and pop stars. Your children will watch them by day and cuddle up with them at night. Soon you will all know Snook quite well, along with Wartz, Bob, Oko, Madge, Smooch, Ick and Winslow. This January marks a pivotal moment in children's programming and it's all happening right here in Wainscott, during the off-season, despite the picketers, on a desolate strip called Industrial Road.

Watch "It's a Big Big World," beginning January 2, 2006 on PBS Kids.

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# Who's Here

By Debbie Tuma

Two round holes in her wide, wooden floor still remind Arlene Bujese of how she almost didn't open her Newtown Lane art gallery 12 years ago.

"I was getting ready to open, and there were two large chests here, against the wall, which actually fell over and almost killed me," she recalled. "But I managed to avoid a major accident, I've managed to stay open all these years, and I still have the dents in my front entrance hall to prove it."

Sitting on one of her favorite long benches in her gallery, surrounded by paintings and sculptures of the many local artists she's been showing for years, Bujese shared how her recent decision to close her gallery in February has drawn reactions from the community. "I've gotten flowers, notes and letters, from artists and friends of the gallery. I'm not a crybaby, but some of them are so beautiful," she said. "When I decided to close, about six months ago I sent letters first to the artists, then the collectors, and then the press."

Wearing one of her signature gold jewelry pieces that is a work of art unto itself, over a white sweater and slacks, Bujese held up a small painting by Connie Foxx, and a metal sculpture by Bill King, who are both long-time friends and clients, and who had given her these gifts just an hour earlier. "I've handled some of the most exciting and committed artists, and I've had a good working relationship with them, and also with the collectors," she said. "It's been a terrific experience, and I have no regrets. But I can't imagine how I'll feel in March."

Bujese, whose last name is French and Swiss, said in recent years, she has been thinking about retiring from the art gallery business to have more time to herself, and to simply pursue other interests. "I wanted to close last year, but I just couldn't do it because these artists are so good and I care about them," she said. "To lose a gallery is unfortunate."

She said for this reason, she would love to see her business continue as an art gallery, and she's been talking to several entrepreneurs about this idea. "I've also had investors asking me about funding, thinking it's for economic reasons that I'm closing, which isn't true," she explained. "Over the years out here, I've tried to encourage an artists' coop, where 10-20 artists contribute to



## Arlene Bujese Gallery Owner

the financial support of a gallery, because there are so many talented people here. But so far it hasn't worked out."

In her 12 years of running her own gallery, and as the former director of the Benton Gallery in Southampton for eight years before

**I wanted to close last year,  
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that, Bujese has represented a long list of artists, and collected a loyal following. Many of these are part of her present "Dealer's Choice" show, which she does at the end of each year. "I take my local artists work that I have downstairs, and I choose the pieces to

hang in the show, which saves me from going to artists' studios," she said, pointing to the proliferation of paintings on the walls. There are works by the late John Little, who she represented both at the Benton Gallery, and at an earlier days at her first gallery in Washington, D.C., called "Phoenix II." There are also works by her many living local artists, such as Josh Dayton, Carolyn Beegan, Carol Hunt, Darlene Charneco, Priscilla Bowden, Alex Russo, and others. She has also shown the works of the late Elaine de Kooning, Balcombe Greene, and the late Alfonse Ossorio.

"When Ossorio died in 1990, I was the only gallery representing him at the time," she said, showing a copy of his coffee table book inscribed to Bujese in 1982. "He was brilliant, intelligent, and he was the ultimate gentleman," she said. "And his art — talk about a sense of adventure — he certainly followed his own path in his work and in his life."

Bujese, too, followed an early calling to express her artistic ability. Growing up in Park Ridge, New Jersey, her interest in art started in a private prep

school where she was chosen to do illustrations for posters. But at 20 years old, her wanderlust and curiosity led her to join American Airlines as a stewardess for the next seven years. During this time, she attended school in Dallas and San Francisco, and then she enrolled in the Corcoran College of Art when she moved to Washington, D.C., majoring in printmaking.

"Flying around the world, I was so inspired by seeing art everywhere I went," she said. "It gave me the energy to want to create art myself, and I eventually quit flying to go to art school full-time."

Bujese also earned a degree in religion and philosophy from Hood College in Frederick, Maryland, where she also earned her masters degree in psychology. She then taught art, religion and psychology at St. John's Literary Institution at Prospect Hall in Frederick, Maryland, a college prep school. She later taught studio art at Hood College.

But Bujese admitted that, although she's exhibited as an artist, "I've never had the same ambition to promote myself as an artist. I've enjoyed discovering and promoting other artists."

So when a publisher friend suggested she try her hand at running a gallery, she ventured into the administrative world by taking

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## Bujese

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over the Phoenix Gallery in Washington, D.C. "I felt I knew a lot of artists, and I knew a lot about art," she explained. She started coming to the Hamptons in 1968, when an art professor at the Corcoran invited a bunch of his students to study at his summer studio here.

"I immediately fell in love with this place, and I started meeting all the fascinating artists who lived here then, like Lee Krasner, Willem de Kooning, John Little, Balcombe Greene, and Alfonse Ossorio," she explained. "I

also started showing artists from the Hamptons in D.C."

Bujese moved to the Hamptons full-time in 1984, and took over as director of the Benton Gallery in 1986, which she ran until 1993 with owner Dr. Rodney Ryan.

Now, as she looks back over her many years in the gallery business, she said, "During the last few years, I've felt I've done what I had to do. I need more flexibility — I haven't had a weekend off in the past 12 years. Now I can go

to weddings and I can go to brunch. I can even give a brunch."

Bujese said she looks forward to re-reading Proust on summer afternoons. "I might even sit on a bench on Newtown Lane, near my old gallery. And I'll go to lots of art openings — on the weekends." When asked if she'll have any kind of closing celebration in February, when her lease is up, she said, "I doubt it — I don't want a party, and anyway, there's nobody here in the winter."

## Bush

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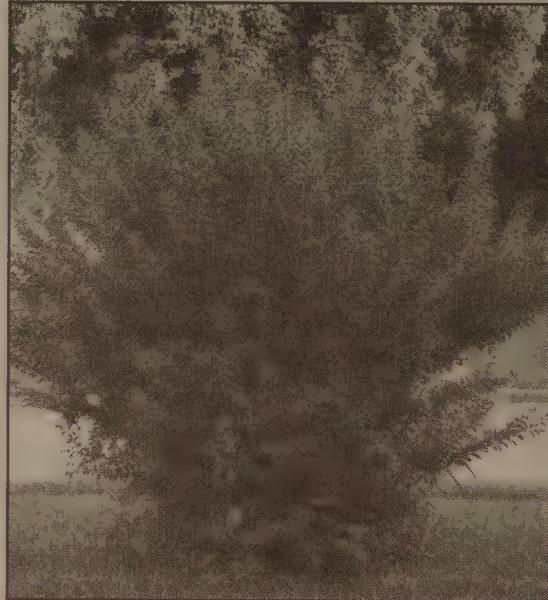
other Muslim extremists who clearly are trying to do us in are no friends of Iraq. It almost seems that, if Bush were President in an earlier and more simple time, his response to Japan's invasion of Pearl Harbor would be to invade Canada. I don't get it." — Dan Rattiner, December 6, 2002

"This week, George W. Bush is going to address the nation and say, from those who have seen the speech, that it is not our job to prove that Saddam Hussein has weapons of mass destruction these days, rather Saddam Hussein's job to prove that he doesn't. As any parent will tell you, having your kid prove he doesn't have something is begging the question. It's illogical, but it gets you the desired results." — Dan Rattiner, January 24, 2003

"Knowing these realities, America must not ignore the threat gathering against us. Facing clear evidence of peril, we cannot wait for the final proof — smoking gun — that could come in the form of a mushroom cloud." — George W. Bush, January 12, 2003.

"There is a downside of going to war. Tens of thousands of people will die. After it is over, one might expect increased terrorist activity. Are we ready for that? Apparently, Bush is." — Dan Rattiner, February 7, 2003.

"To make his case, Bush listed one thing after another that Hussein did that was in violation of the United Nations mandate. I had the feeling that Bush was so single-minded in his purpose to go to war that even the flimsiest bit of information might be blown out of proportion to bolster his case. For example, if an American CIA operative said 'Hussein MAY be



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talking to al Qaeda,' I had the feeling that by the time it got reported from one person to another and it reached the President, it would be reported as 'Hussein IS talking to al Qaeda' and it would send Bush off into another frenzy. He wouldn't even have checked it out. Powell is going to the United Nations now with documentation for many of Bush's claims. What I am describing is just a feeling. Maybe there is hard evidence. But maybe not. I am confident that our allies, particularly our European allies, will have the brains to sort out the truth. I am sure we will hear about it." — Dan Rattiner, February 7, 2003.

"We'll demand a vote. Let's let everybody put

their cards on the table so we can see how they feel about Saddam Hussein." — George W. Bush, February 6, 2003.

"The inspectors shouldn't be driving all over Iraq looking for weapons. They should just set up in a parking lot somewhere and have Hussein bring the weapons in and destroy them. That would be disarmament." — George W. Bush, March 3, 2003.

"On Thursday, Powell was telling reporters that he had learned from Intelligence that Hussein was PLANNING to build the missiles they had destroyed. That night, in a Presidential Press Conference, Bush said Hussein had ORDERED new missiles to replace the ones he destroyed. One can change things if the real report does not make you angry enough. Bush was angry. Bush still is angry." — Dan Rattiner, March 14, 2003.

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*On March 20, 145,000 American troops invaded Iraq from Kuwait and other bases in the south. Inside of three weeks, they were riding triumphantly through Baghdad. The war was over.*

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"Well, the decision has now been made, we have gone to war, and we all must fall into line behind our Commander-in-Chief and our fighting men. May this happen quickly. May it happen with as little loss of life as possible. May it happen the way our Commander-in-Chief wants it to happen. May the world be better for it. I pray for all that, and for a long sustained peace in the world after that." — Dan Rattiner, March 28, 2003.

## HARRY JOE "COCO" BROWN, JR., 71

By Dan Rattiner

Builder Harry Joe Brown, better known to friends as Coco, died in Manhattan at the age of 71 on Wednesday of complications from prostate cancer.

Brown, who also had homes in the Hamptons and West Palm Beach, was a well-known New York real estate developer who had a long and varied career. He was born and raised in Beverly Hills, where his mother was a movie actress (opposite Buster Keaton and Spencer Tracy) and his father a movie producer for RKO. He was educated at Phillips Exeter Academy and at Stanford, and he received his Bachelor's degree magna cum laude at Yale and after that, a Master's degree at Oxford as a Marshall's Scholar.

At the age of 23, he famously arranged for

the purchase of 188 acres of Beverly Hills woods at the top of a mountain, and developed it as the exclusive Mulholland Drive community.

He traveled to Europe and lived the artist's life in Paris for a while, then returned to New York where he wrote some screenplays and produced Off-Broadway, developing the plays of Edward Albee and Tennessee Williams.

About ten years ago, Brown acquired a failed 56-acre housing development in the woods of Sagaponack up by East Hampton Airport and planned a stunning successor for it known as "Houses at Sagaponac." The houses would be on lots of two to four acres, would be relatively small for vacation homes — 2,000 to 4,000 square feet — and each

would be individually designed by an internationally celebrated architect. Brown arranged for architect Richard Meier to round some up. The development itself would be a work of art.

Among those who are participating in this ongoing project are Michael Graves, Sir Richard Rogers, Henry Smith-Miller, Thomas Phifer and the late Philip Johnson. At the present time, the designs for 34 homes by all 34 architects have been completed, eight homes are under construction of which two have been sold and one other has been completed and sold.

Coco Brown was married and divorced twice, and is survived by his two daughters, Morgan and Esme, both of Beverly Hill, and a grandson.

# TWENTYSOMETHING... By David Lion RATTNER

## Jobs and Dating

One of the things that I have started to notice now that most of my friends are out in the real world is how they talk about their jobs when talking to a girl. It is not like I am listening in to their conversations, but whenever I get the details of a date or a possible future date encounter, the first thing that they tell me is that they told them where they work. Most of my friends like to ham up this part of the conversation a little bit in order to impress. For example, if you work as a receptionist for HBO, you would never say to someone that you just met that you work as a receptionist. You would say that you work for HBO and leave it at that. If the person you are trying to impress is smart and starts to press further into what you do to make money, then you respond with, "Oh, I do networking for them."

The thing that is funny to me about this is that every single person my age does this. It is almost like we are ashamed to tell girls what we actually do for some reason. The logic is that if we just shade the truth a little bit, we will have a better chance in the dating department.

We are living in a world where movies and magazines talk about very successful, very rich and very young people and we all feel that we should be one of those. I guess I can understand this. It would be nice to be a movie star, model or famous singer. Everybody wants to get paid millions of dollars to speak, sing or stand in front of a camera. I'm not saying that being one of these guys is bad. I'm just saying that not being one of these guys shouldn't mean that you get down about it.

The real question that I am wondering about is when does stretching the truth about what you are doing with your life end and where does lying begin? Do girls even care at all about what a guy does for work? Do girls like guys that are rich and boring over guys that are not so rich and passionate? Does more money mean you are going to get more dates? Well, I was about to find out.

One night in Sag Harbor at Cigar Bar I told my friend Tom that I wanted to do an experiment on dating. Tom is always up for new ideas and ways to meet women, so he immediately raised an eyebrow. I explained that I wanted to see if it really made a difference to girls when it comes to jobs. I was going to introduce Tom to one girl and tell her that he was one of the founders of Google and that he just bought an estate in the Hamptons. Then I was going to introduce him to another girl and tell her that he worked as a bartender and lived in an apartment. "Okay," Tom said. In fact, Tom is a local from East Hampton and is a sales trainee at Nortel Networks in the city.

I've got to tell you, this experiment yielded some interesting results. I started with the, "My friend really likes you," line. I know that this is kind of grade schoolish, but hey, it worked then, why shouldn't it work now? I decided that I would say that Tom was a bartender first. "Excuse me. Sorry to bother you, but my friend thinks you are really pretty and I want you to meet him. He is a bartender."

"Sure, I would love to meet him."

Tom walked over and the three of us started

talking. She didn't seem to mind at all that he was a bartender. The two of them seemed to be hitting it off and after about a half hour, we admitted to her that he wasn't a bartender and that we were doing an experiment. She thought this was the coolest thing ever and couldn't wait to find out how a girl would react to finding out Tom was a founder of Google. She even picked out the next girl.

I took a deep breath and walked over to another girl and said the same thing only this time said that he was one of the founders of Google.

"Where is he?" she said.

"He is the guy in the corner over there."

She looks. "Well, what's wrong with him?"

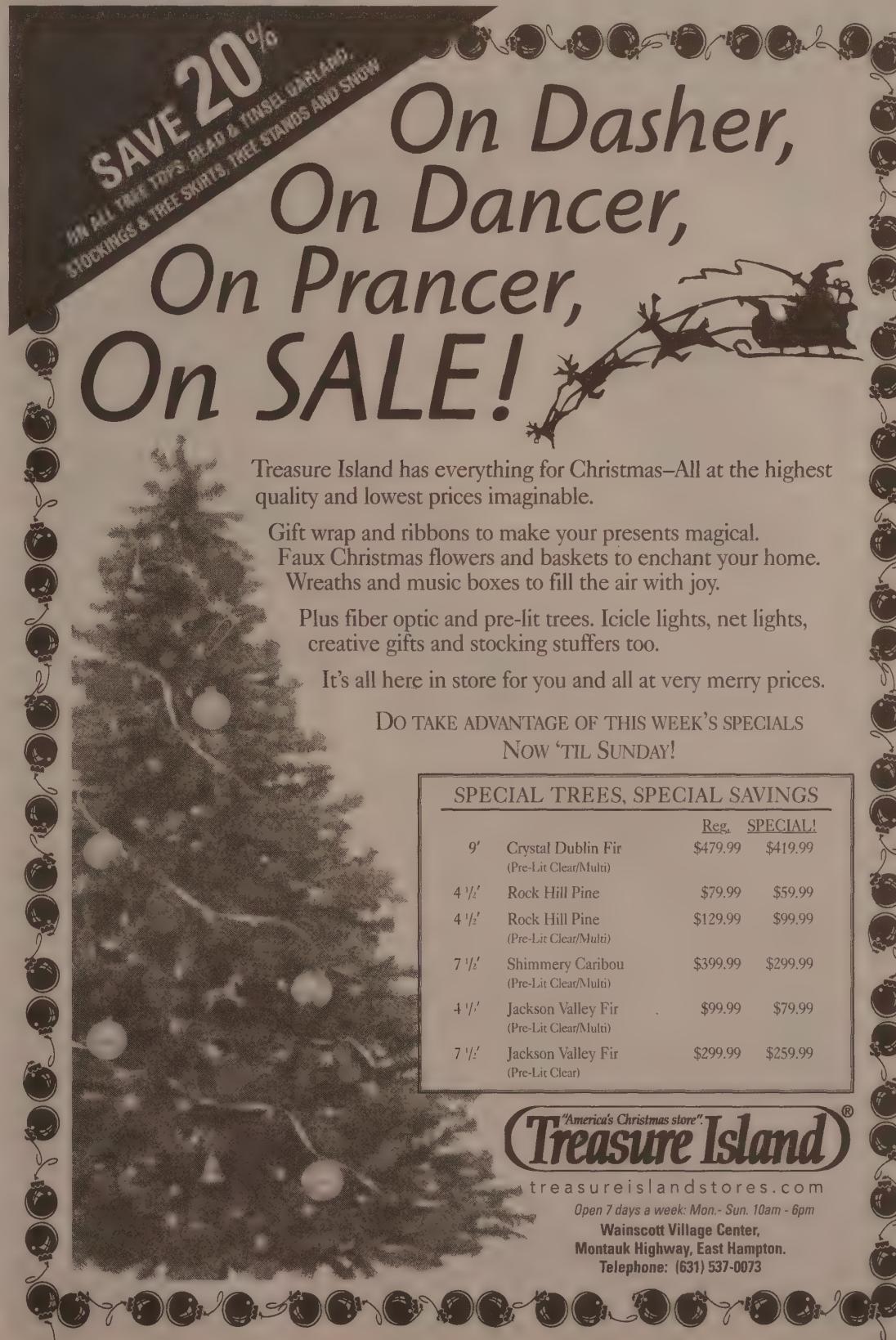
"What do you mean?"

"I mean what's wrong with him?"

"Nothing is wrong with him."

I waved for Tom to come over and the two of them started to talk. I then took a couple steps back, but kept within eyesight. Within five minutes, they shook hands, the girl pointed to her girlfriend and Tom walked over to me. "I started talking about how rich I was and she got annoyed. I don't think that she liked me," he said.

I think that there is something to be said about this issue for both guys and girls. Being happy with yourself and what you are doing is more important than being rich and showing off. But there is another lesson here that I have discovered from this experiment and that is, bartenders get all the girls.



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## South O' the Highway (and the North too)

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event will take place at The American Hotel in Sag Harbor, courtesy of its owner **Tom Conklin**. The event will also pay tribute to Norwood, who was the recipient of an extraordinary honor this year. She was selected for a Group Nobel Peace Prize nomination, sponsored by Swiss UNESCO, honoring 1000 women around the world for their community efforts.

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Local author **Susan Spungen** will be at the Loaves & Fishes Cookshop in Bridgehampton on December 10th to sign copies of her new book *Recipes: A Collection for the Modern Cook*. Spungen is best known as the founding food editor of **Martha Stewart** Living Omnimedia and helped to launch Stewart's Kmart collection in 2000.

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**Paul DeRobertis** and his family, of Paul's Restaurant in Southampton, will provide presents and a Christmas dinner, as they have for almost 15 years, for the 25 boys who live at the Timothy Hill Children's Ranch in Riverhead. For more information on how you can become involved and help the residents of the Ranch have a memorable holiday, please visit or call (631) 369-6405.

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Comics **Wanda Sykes** and **Colin Quinn** were among the stand up performances at Safe Horizon's fundraising event, "In Our Own Words: No Laughing Matter" held at B.B. King's Blues Club & Grill. **Chris Rock** and his wife, **Malaak Compton-Rock**, the event's co-chair and a Safe Horizon board member, were among the crowd of over 400 people. Many local residents were in attendance, including **Gillian Hearst-Shaw**, **Lydia Hearst-Shaw**, **Tinsley Mortimer**, **Amanda Hearst**, **Allison Aston** and **Luigi Tadini** and junior chair **Ashley Stark**.

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The Lenox Hill Neighborhood House's 18th annual Holiday Bazaar raised over \$410,000 to benefit their children's programs at the institution. Among the guests shopping up a storm and bidding on one-of-a-kind evening bags, created by the likes of **Geoffrey Bradfield**, **Helena Lehane**, **Jamie Drake**, **Albert Hadley**, and **Charlotte Moss**, were locals **Eva** and **Brendan Dillon**, **Debbie Bancroft**, **Janna Bullock**, **Julia Wallace**, **Lara Glazier** and **Ruth Fleischmann**.

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**Nina Giambelli** of the restaurant clan, who has a home in East Hampton and is a designer for Harry Winston, was shocked when a craftsman she was suing for not repairing her wicker chairs properly offered as a defense in Small Claims Court in East Hampton: "There were Italian food stains on the chairs." The surprised judge awarded her \$350 of her \$750 lawsuit.

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mined by tribal size; newly recognized tribes with 1,500 members or less are provided with a base funding of \$160,000, and tribes with 1,501 to 3,000 members get \$300,000. Tribes with over 3,000 members are funded on a case by case basis. HIS gets a total budget of \$2.4 billion, and BIA gets \$9 billion, for a total of \$4.3 billion.

The Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) has an extensive list of programs and a wide range of services for Indian people, including subsidies for educational opportunities, social services, law enforcement, courts, real estate services, agriculture and range management, and resource protection. Federal recognition would also provide immunity for certain lawsuits from state and federal governments.

The Indian Health Service (IHS) Agency, which is an adjunct of the Public Health Service, would provide health care services through a network of reservation-based hospitals and clinics. Besides standard medical care, this agency has established programs that specialize in maternal and child health, mental health, substance abuse, home health care and nutrition. The Administration For Native Americans, another agency within this group, has programs aimed at strengthening tribal governments supporting the social and economic development of the reservations. Other Federal agencies serving the needs of the Indian people include the departments of Housing and Urban Development, Justice, Agriculture, Education, Labor, Commerce, and Energy.

Like all other citizens who meet eligibility requirements, all American Indians and Alaska natives are eligible to receive state services such as Temporary Assistance for Needy families, Supplemental Security Income, the Food Stamp Program, and the Low Income Heating and Energy Assistance Program.

So far, 55.7 million acres of land belong to Indian tribes and individuals. Since 1934, the total acreage held in trust by the federal government for the benefit of tribes and their members has increased from 49 million to 54 million acres.

According to the website [www.doi.gov](http://www.doi.gov), "With recognition, the federal government can take land in trust for tribes that may not have a land base or may want to add to their land base. This raises concerns from local communities regarding the loss of local jurisdiction over the land. For example, land taken in trust is no longer subject to local property taxes and zoning ordinances. Also, gambling may occur on land held in trust by the federal government for tribes and their members."

Indian gambling started in the late 1970s when a number of tribes began to establish bingo operations as a supplemental means of funding tribal operations. According to this website, "Recognized tribes may conduct, license and regulate Class II gambling if the state in which the tribe is located permits such gambling and the tribe adopts a gambling ordinance that is approved by the NIGC."

The Bureau of Indian Affairs provides education services to 47,588 Indian children in 184 schools and dormitories. The Bureau of Indian Affairs maintains relationships with 562 tribes across the country.



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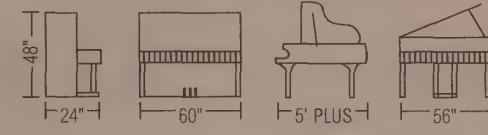
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# The Sheltered Islander By Sally Flynn

## Sheltered Islander #377 A Great Institution closes...

The end of an era....Shelter Island Books & Video, after twenty five years in the same location, an Island institution, is closing. It's an old story. Anyone who has rented on Shelter Island knows the day eventually comes when the rent goes up higher than the budget can handle. It's a pity. I sure will miss the place.

The beautiful and brilliant Janet Olinkiewicz has been my family's official Media Advisor for years. Some people have legal advisors. We had a Media Advisor. You could walk in and ask her for recommendations for viewing for all ages and stages without having to spend half an hour reading summations through torn plastic. She knows every video ever put out. Never play the Screen Edition of Trivia Pursuit with Janet unless she gives you a two pie handicap. In addition to videos, she always had a great selection of books and games.

I bought my kids first Scrabble game there. And after they lost half the letters, I bought a second Scrabble game there. Then my mother borrowed that one for visiting nieces to play with and they lost the 'Z' and 2 vowels, so Mom had to buy me a third Scrabble game from there. I now keep the letters in a zip lock bag. When I visit other people's homes, while most people scan medicine cabinets, I scan kids rooms and steal Scrabble letters so that I always have a full stash in case of a nuclear winter or worse, get-

ting snowed in with bored children.

I think Janet knows the phone number of everyone on Shelter Island. She is such a doll, she'd order a book or movie and hold it for you till your next payday. The store was a unique entity. Janet never needed security cameras in the store because of the squeaky floors. Janet could tell where anyone was in the store at anytime. She never needed a bell at the door to tell her somebody just came in. There was a big squeak under the entrance arch that you couldn't avoid. There was a high pitched squeak in front of the Mystery Section. A low grunt from the floor in front of the New Releases. There were at least seven distinctive squeaky locator planks throughout the store. By the book section was a leaky ceiling. I think it was repaired every two years, but it was always leaking.

My brother David, a movie buff who rented or bought every movie there, would occasionally go and fetch a cup of soup for Janet from the Pharmacy. I don't know if he did that out of the goodness of his heart or because he was trying to get a discount...

David was living above the video store in winter around 1989 when he heard a big crash at 3



a.m., as someone shoved the air conditioning unit into the store window to gain access. Dave stood in front of the Video Store in his robe, slippers, and big furry hunter hat with ear flaps while he waited for the police. Sgt. Artie Springer showed up when David called. After laughing at the nut in the fur hat and bathrobe guarding the front door, he arrested the non-islander inside who was later roasted and eaten at one of the firemen's barbecues. Because what happens on the Island, stays on the Island....

For his heroism in the face of a freezing cold winter night, Janet let David pick any video he wanted. He still has it in a place of honor on his shelf. It's one of his awards. He calls it his Order of the Knights of the VHS. Of course, the story has grown a bit since the original telling and now includes him fighting off Zombies, Grasshoppers, having Sex on the Beach and other drinks.

I wonder what will be in the building next. We could use a shoe store. We could use an office supply store. We could use a clothing store, or something else practical. I hope it doesn't turn into some schlocky tourist trap. We need something like...like a Book, Video & Games store!

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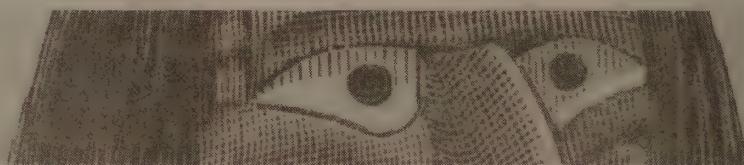
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## OLEG CASSINI RECEIVES GOLD MEDAL

The National Arts Club honored Oleg Cassini with the Gold Medal for Fashion at a black tie dinner held at their club in Gramercy Park. A short film on the man, who began life as a Count, married a movie star, and became the First Celebrity Designer with his fashions for First Lady Jacqueline Kennedy, was shown. Syndicated columnist Liz Smith shared her remembrances. Mr Cassini's designs, photographs and memorabilia were on display in the parlors throughout the reception.



Oleg Cassini, Dianne Bernhard

# North Fork Events

## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1

**INTUITIVE CONSULTANT TO THE STARS** - Every Thursday from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Donna McCue will provide 15-minute sessions and sign her book for \$30 per person at Vineyard 48 in Cutchogue. Call 631-734-5200.

**TREE LIGHTING** - Eastern Long Island Hospital will have a tree lighting in the front lawn at 4:30 p.m. in Greenport. Festivities include official tree lighting, caroling and refreshments. Call 631-477-5164 for more information.

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

**HOLIDAY MARKETPLACE** - Opening reception for annual Holiday Marketplace and Small Works show at the East End Arts Council in Riverhead. Shop through December 23. Call 631-727-0900.

**DOLORES CASTRUCCI** - Running until December 31st, enjoy the artists work at the Southold Town Hall Annex. Call 765-6656.

**HEART AND HARMONY** - Join North Fork based musical artists at 7 p.m. at the North Shore Public Library in Shoreham. Should be an excellent concert. Call 631-929-4488

ext 230 for more info. Concert is free.

**JAMES ARBOTH PRITCHARD** - At the Floyd Memorial Library in Greenport listen to him sing jazz and pop standards and original love songs accompanied by Dee Laveglia at 7 p.m. Free. Call 631-477-0660.

**THE SONGS THAT GOT AWAY** - At the North Fork Community Theatre at 8 p.m. in Mattituck enjoy a musical fundraiser for \$10. Call 631-298-NFCT.

**TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY** - At Orient Beach State Park at 6:30 p.m. with Oysterponds Elementary School choir and arrival of Santa. Call 631-321-3425.

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## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

**CUSTER INSTITUTE** - Every Saturday night, weather permitting, the Custer Institute and Observatory is open for visitors to observe the night sky with their high range telescopes. Runs from 6 p.m. until midnight. Institute is located in Southold. Suggested donation of \$2. Call 631-696-3333.

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**SANTA BY TRAIN** - From noon to 3 p.m. Santa will show up on the noon train at the Railroad Museum in Greenport. Followed with refreshments. Free admission. Call 631-477-0439.

**ART SHOW** - Grand re-opening party at Gallery M in Greenport. Celebrate their new and larger location with featured works of David Nyce and Laura Westlake. Call 631-477-9496 for times.

**TREE LIGHTING** - At Vineyard 48 from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. enjoy carolers, hot apple cider and finger foods in the beautiful tasting room. Lighting is at 5 p.m. Santa is expected. Located in Cutchogue. Call 631-734-5200.

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**TOYS FOR TOTS** - This 2nd annual toys for tots benefit features multiple bands that will perform on our Main Stage as well as the Black Box Stage. Please bring a new, unwrapped toy for the benefit at the Vail Leavitt Music Hall in Riverhead. Performance starts at 7:30 p.m. Call 631-727-0900 for more info.

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**FLOWER ALLEY** - From 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Blue Door Gallery of Riverhead enjoy an annual small works show Christmas party. Local artists Sandi Woessner, Dublin Durler, Maark Kopko, Hazel Kahan, Chris Stavropolis and more! Fine jewelry, hand woven scarves, ornaments, greeting cards and handcrafted items. Gallery show will run through January 8. Call 631-208-8166 for more information.

**WRITERS ON THE VINE** - Palmer Vineyards in Aquebogue will host a December edition of Writers on the Vine at 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. with Dr. Michael Baden and Linda Kenney. Admission is \$10 and includes a glass of wine. Seating is limited. Call 631-722-9463 ext. 21.

**CHRISTMAS GIFT FAIR** - From 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Our Lady of Mercy School in Cutchogue with local crafts, Santa photos and refreshments. Benefits Katrina damaged Louisiana school. Call Maggie at 631-765-6573 for more info.

**SANTA BY TRAIN** - From noon to 3 p.m. Santa will show up on the noon train at the Railroad Museum in Greenport. Followed with refreshments. Free admission. Call 631-477-0439.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**12/6 - AWARDS DINNER** - The Riverhead Chamber of Commerce will hold their 2005 Awards Dinner at Vineyard Caterers in Aquebogue. Dinner starts at 7 p.m. with cocktails

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# The Plum Island Story

## What It Was, What It Is and Where It's Going

By Thomas Sarc

For those that don't know, Plum Island, formerly Fort Terry, is a facility that studies animal diseases. It is located about one and a half miles off the coast of Orient Point. In 1826, the United States government purchased three acres on Plum Island for a lighthouse. In 1897, 130 more acres were purchased for defending the coast. Soon after, the United States government built Fort Terry as a headquarters for the Army. In 1901, the rest of the island was bought. During World War II, soldiers were trained to arm torpedoes on Fort Terry.

During World War II, an outbreak of "Foot and Mouth" disease broke out in Mexico. Over the next few years, over \$100 million was spent on research to cure the disease. In 1946, a disease laboratory was built at Fort Terry by the government. Fort Terry was closed in 1948 because we were no longer at war and it was no longer needed.

In 1953, the Army turned over part of its facilities on the island to the Agriculture Department and the island was officially opened as an animal disease laboratory. In 1971, the press visited the island to get information on the studies of different diseases but were refused any information about the use of Plum Island the government declared the island "classified." To this day it is said that much of the work done on Plum Island is secret. Early documentation suggests that Plum Island was involved in biological war research. The research continued until President Nixon "officially" ended the biological warfare program in 1969.

The island itself is mysterious; much about it remains classified. None of the 200 plus employees live on the island; they commute from Connecticut and Long Island. The island is accessible by government ferry and local sailors who have strayed too

close have reported being warned off by armed military personnel.

There has only been one outbreak on the island itself, the Foot and Mouth disease outbreak in 1978, which was contained by killing all the livestock. The US government maintains that there never has been a leak to the mainland. There have been theories saying that Lyme disease originated on Plum Island, since its first documented case appeared 13 miles northeast of the facility.

Some people are concerned that the facility on Plum Island could come under attack by terrorists. Nelson Demille wrote a novel called *Plum Island*, a mystery thriller involving murder near the island. Dr. Hannibal Lecter was offered a "vacation" on Plum Island by the FBI in the novel *The Silence of the Lambs*.

Not all news about Plum Island is mysterious, however. According to the United States Department of Agriculture, Plum Island research has led to advances in the treatment of Foot and Mouth disease, African horse sickness, African swine fever, vaccines for foreign animal diseases and import/export procedures for ham and other meat.

Plum Island is now under the authority of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). In August, they announced that they would replace the aging Plum Island Animal Disease Center with a "next generation biological and agricultural defense facility" at a location yet to be determined. The DHS, which assumed responsibility of the facility from the Department of Agriculture in June 2003, says the center is an essential component of the national strategy for protecting US agriculture from a bioterrorist attack involving the introduction of foreign animal diseases. Yet the 50-year-old facility will soon become obsolete, the DHS warned.

The DHS plans for Plum Island describe a new National Bio and Agro-defense Facility capable of supporting increasing levels of research and development to meet concerns about accidental or intentional introduction of foreign animal diseases. The new facility would allow for zoonotic disease research.

The initiative is in keeping with Homeland Security Presidential Directive 9, which directs the Agriculture and Homeland Security Secretaries to develop plans to provide "safe, secure and state of the art agriculture bio-containment laboratories that research and develop diagnostic capabilities for foreign animal and zoonotic diseases." President Bush has already requested \$23 million in his 2006 budget for the design and initiation of the new facility. The DHS has announced that it will conduct a conceptual study to identify key requirements at the facility, along with a cost-benefit analysis.

There is no doubt that the Plum Island center is greatly in need of critical renovations and upgrades. For years, the AVMA, US Animal Health Association, American Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians, and other groups have been calling for improvements. Following the announcement of Plum Island closing, Dr. W. Ron DeHaven and Edward B. Knipling, PhD, APHIS and ARS administrators, respectively, assured stakeholders in a letter that Plum Island would not be closing now or anytime soon. If the new facility is located off Plum Island, transition of USDA and DHS programs to the new facility will be gradual and orderly, and unlikely to begin for at least another five years, the administrators wrote.

Plum Island's future is still "up in the air." But whatever is in the cards for this small, pork-chop shaped piece of land, one thing is for certain, it is one interesting place.

## Lighting Up The Tree

### Head To Vineyard 48 For Their Tree Lighting Celebration

By R.B. Stuart

This Saturday Vineyard 48 in Cutchogue is having their first annual Christmas tree lighting. The vineyard, with its Italian flavor, will offer an afternoon open house of holiday eats and festivities. Starting at 2:00 p.m. and running through 6:00 p.m., live carolers will be singing your favorite holiday music. Bring the kiddies because the Cutchogue Fire Department will be providing transportation for Santa who is expected to arrive at 3:00 p.m. Make sure that you grab your camera because you'll want to snap a few of him climbing down from the fire truck and when your kids are sitting on Santa's lap, whispering their long held wishes.

The lighting of their 20-foot Douglas Fir Christmas tree will be in their tasting room at 5:00 p.m. and will surely be an exciting and fun time. There will be hot apple cider, cookies, cheese, crackers, fruit, and of course, their amazing wine. Vineyard 48 has an excellent wine list to choose from: 11 varietals, including two that won medals over the summer from the NY State Fair Commercial Wine Competition. They were awarded a silver medal for their 2003 Chardonnay, a fresh and vibrant Chablis style with highlights of white peach, ripe apple and fine yeast notes (\$15.99) and a bronze medal for their 2002 Merlot that has a big taste with highlights of blackberries, coffee and dark chocolate coupled with aromas of prunes, figs and toasted oak (\$19.99).

It's apparent the Pepia's, the owners of the vineyard, have a Midas touch in wine making. In the beginning the mom and son team hired two consultants with a combined knowledge of 53 years in the winemaking business. Winemaker Roman Roth and Steven Mudd steered the Pepia's to winemaker Matthew Berenz, who brought them the medals. Vineyard 48 started out producing 3,000 cases of wine and their projected goal is to increase to 15,000.

Vineyard 48 is the only vineyard to add the Little Cigar Factory to their premises. The Factory specializes in hand rolled cigars, personalized humidors and cigar boxes. They carry a wide array of box selections from 2 - 25 cigars, inexpensive lighters, cigar cutters, and offer custom engraved boxes and labels for those pondering holiday ideas for clients, friends or family who may be smokers, or enjoy a nice cigar now and then.

Throughout the first two weeks of December, sensational art photographer Harvey Hellinger will have 25 pieces on display, which will be available for purchase if you want to treat yourself to a holiday gift, or need one for those artsy friends of yours.

Vineyard 48 is located on Rt. 48 in Cutchogue and is open seven days a week from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for the Saturday event. There are no ticket prices, it's an open house and they're doing all the finger food, so bring your appetite! For more information call 631-734-5200.

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Front Row: Seniors - Jenna Williams, Kristie Palmer, Marisa Viola, Meaghan Burke

Congratulations to the Mattituck Tuckers girls' soccer team who earned the title of "Champions" by winning the New York State Class B Championship. The championship game against the Marcellus Mustangs was played last Saturday in Endicott. These tough girls beat the Mustangs in a 1-0 victory and were able to get the first state title for the Tuckers!



## Dan's North Fork

### North Fork Artist of The Week

#### Photographer, Ralph Pugliese Jr.

By R.B. Stuart

Ralph Pugliese Jr. has been a landscape and seascape photographer on the North and South Fork for the last 18 years. Pugliese, in my opinion, is an underrated jewel. Once discovered, his gifted eye, sense for detail and natural ability to shoot the most picturesque Long Island and New York scenes leave you staring at the photograph and make you feel like you are falling into it. Although his breathtaking vistas of Mother Nature at work are sold primarily at local gift shops and wineries, an extensive selection can be seen at Pugliese Vineyards. This one man show makes it easy to wall paper your house with his photographic art work and with his inexpensive pricing, once you've bought one you'll keep coming back for more.

Pugliese was born 39 years ago into a family of three in Flushing, Queens. As a child he thought he was going into architecture, "But my high school mechanical drawing teacher pushed me into photography, recommending I go to college to pursue it," Pugliese said.

As a child he remembered his mother painting, "She would paint from photographs. Never having visited Italy, she painted a large canvas of Rome," he recalled. Maybe that's where he inherited the gift of photography, mixing her muse from photos to canvas; he now paints his own canvases with his eye; large, grand and awe inspiring.

Originally shooting all black and white, Pugliese's first camera was a 35 mm Canon. "People were more interested in color, because that's the way we see

everything," he explained.

He graduated from the School of Visual Arts with a BFA in Photography and went on to publish his work in *Popular Photography*, *Long Island Monthly*, *Italian Elle*, *Diversion Magazine* and *Historic Preservation*. He began visiting Cutchogue in 1980 eventually moving there in 1988.

"I just like to see the beauty

in nature and to explore different areas. It's a challenge sometimes, you go some place 20 times and get nothing, other times you go there once and get something amazing. I enjoy that," he concedes. "My photos make a lot of people happy. Periodically, I receive letters and e-mails from people commenting on my work. Only over the last few years have I begun appreciating it. The impact my work has on people stays in the back of my mind now," he added.

Although he still faces challenges in trying to get better images, "I'm always trying to make things better. After shooting here for 18 years, it becomes a challenge to get new and exciting images. Now with the age of digital photography, shooting 4 x 5 transparencies is a dying industry. I really don't think digital cameras are capable of doing what slides do."

"I am mostly inspired by the people who enjoy the work, along with being able to travel and take pictures. Going to new places and seeing the changes of season and the light inspires me," Pugliese shared.



Photo By R.B. Stuart

"My work has been influenced by Ansel Adams. Reading about him and how he'd lug around his 4 x 5 camera. Going out into the wilderness for days. I don't spend days in the wilderness, but I have hiked two miles with my 4 x 5 camera and equipment in a back pack just to get to a location to shoot," he chuckled.

His goal is, "To publish a coffee table book with the best

out of the thousands and thousands of pictures I've taken. I know I can do almost anything that's involved with landscapes and seascapes. I'd like to be published in *National Geographic*. In ten years I will still be in Cutchogue and will continue shooting the area. I'd like to develop a larger website of my work that would display 1000 images or more," he says.

Pugliese doesn't have any regrets, but what he's passionate about is, "Pizza," he says with a burst of laughter. Along with his family, good friends, "There's nothing in life that's more important," he concluded.

You can see a majority of his work at his brother's vineyard, Pugliese on Old Main Rd. in Cutchogue. The vast array of framed and unframed prints, posters, post cards and greeting cards, 2006 Calendars, screen savers and magnets are perfect holiday gifts for those wanting to remember the beauty of Long Island. Or see it on the web at [www.ralphjr.com](http://www.ralphjr.com). He is also available for commercial work, including architectural and industrial photography.

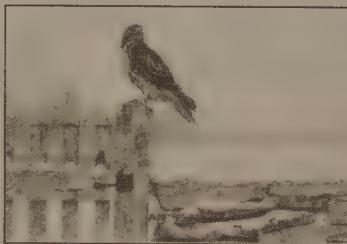
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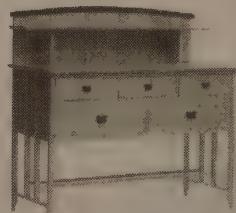
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## OVER THE BARREL...

*with Lenn Thompson*

### Miscellaneous Sips for the Holiday Season

Thanksgiving has come and gone. Our sights are now set on Hanukkah and Christmas, with New Year's lurking in the background.

It's holiday season boys and girls.....one of the busiest, most enjoyable and sometimes stressful times of the year. We all have a lot on our minds and your favorite wine columnist is no different. So, with that in mind, here are some miscellaneous sips (and thoughts) for the season.

**Drink sparkling wine for Christmas and/or Hanukkah.** Everyone drinks bubbly for New Year's, but the fizzy stuff is a great way to celebrate any occasion. Plus, with racy acidity and freshness, it's great with a wide range of foods. Drink Lieb Family Cellars' Blanc de Blanc with appetizers and then move on to bottles of Wolffer Estate or The Old Field bubbly with dinner.

**Drink it again on New Year's Eve.** Drink it just because there's no better way to ring in the New Year. My choice: Lenz Winery 1991 Cuvee RD, the boldest and most interesting local sparkler.

**Don't depend on "expert" lists for wine pairing.** Every year wine and food magazines bombard us with lists of "perfect" matches for Thanksgiving

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and hors d'oeuvres at 6 p.m. Admission is \$50 prior and \$60 at the door. Call 631-727-7600.

**12/10- JAZZ CONCERT-** At the Cster Institut and Observatory in Southold at 7:30 p.m. enjoy a contemporary pop, jazz and r & b concert. Suggested donation of \$5. Call 631-765-2626 for more information.

**12/10- SANTA COMING TO TOWN-** Along the Peconic Riverfront, behind the East End Arts Council in Riverhead, Santa is expected to come in by boat at 4 p.m. with hot chocolate and a bon fire. Hosted by the Town of Riverhead. Call 631-727-3200 ext. 223.

**12/10- HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR-** St. John's in Riverhead is having a Holiday Craft Fair from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. John's Parish Center. Call 631-727-2030 or 631-727-6774 for more information.

**12/10- BLUES SOCIETY-** At the Vail Leavitt Music Hall in Riverhead listen to Sweet Suzi and the Blues Experience, The Back Street Blues Band, Hooch Paolucci, Boom Boom Johnson and the JP Blues Band. 8 p.m. performance, tickets are \$15. Call 631-467-4156.

### ONGOING EVENTS

**ART EXHIBIT-** running until December 15 enjoy the Winter Harbor Scenes of Amy Martin at the Fifth Season Restaurant in Greenport. Call 631-477-8500.

**INDIAN MUSEUM-** In Southold, open Sundays from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Call 631-765-5577.

**CAROUSEL-** The Greenport Village carousel in Mitchell Park is open Fridays, 4:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Saturdays 10:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. and Sundays 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

and Christmas dinner – both of which usually involve a vast array of menu items. Use these lists only as a guide. It's nearly impossible to find a wine that goes with everything on your holiday table. Try a variety of wines with your celebratory meals and see what you like best. That's the best way to go.

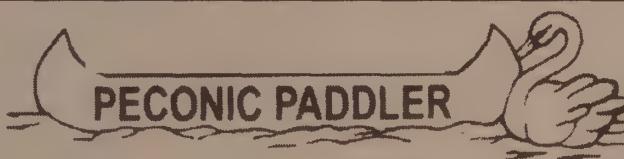
**Take wine every where you go.** No matter what holiday party you're attending, wine is always a welcome gift, especially a local wine. Sadly, most people have little experience with Long Island wine, so take the opportunity to introduce them. Plus, if you take a bottle you know you like (always a good idea) you can tell your host, "Hey, let's open this bottle and see if you like it." This will also rescue you from drinking the plonk served at many parties.

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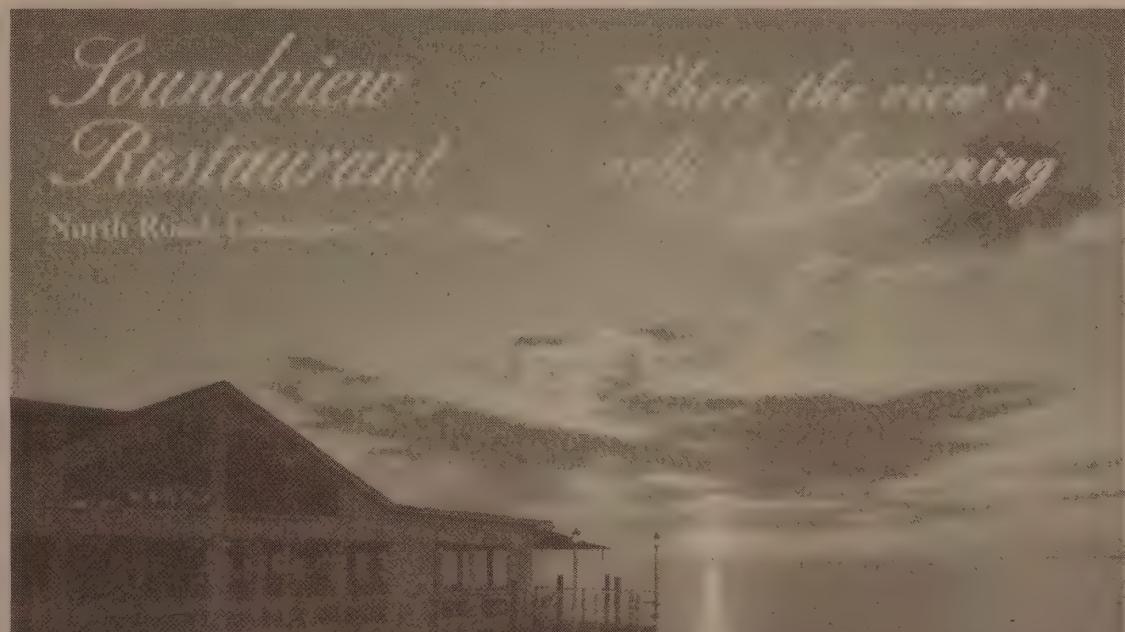
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## 332.5 Million Gifts Given And Counting

The Vail Leavitt This Saturday Will Host A Concert Benefiting Toys For Tots

By R.B. Stuart

Head down to Riverhead at the Vail Leavitt Music Hall this Saturday and support a great cause that gives to children year after year, the Annual Toys for Tots Benefit Concert. "Last year it was the best Christmas we ever had. It was a gift to ourselves. It made us feel that it was the most meaningful thing you could do," said Jessie Haynes, event director and East Quogue musician. "We had such a great time and collected more toys and cash donations than expected. This year we decided to do it bigger and better. And with the Vail-Leavitt Hall practically giving the hall to us (the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation), we were thrilled," Haynes exclaimed.

Bob Barta, Vail-Leavitt Hall president and historian of the hall, gave me some history on how this hall that supports so many local musicians and benefits came about. "The hall is located on what is today Peconic Avenue. It was the talk of the town when David F. Vail, a local lumber dealer, built it with the help of his son, George M. Vail. The Music Hall was but one of the Vails' most ambitious undertakings, the other being the purchase from the U.S. Government of the decommissioned sail-powered battleship Ohio. Displaying their flair for showmanship, the Vails' planned to exhibit the Ohio as long as the public showed interest in the old hulk, then scrap it for its usable parts. Unfortunately, this plan didn't work and it was towed to Greenport harbor. The tired old Ohio sank to the bottom before many visitors could catch a glimpse of it. It remains there to this day."

If you're eager for some holiday cheer and nothing

better than to put a smile on a child's face, then this event on Saturday shouldn't be missed. Admission is free if you bring a new unwrapped toy for a boy or girl or both, or a cash donation at the door is accepted to support the children in the local community, as well as victims of hurricane Katrina.

The doors open for a night of music and celebration at 7:00 p.m. Headlining will be Lori Carson, an Academy Award Winning Recording Artist, along with four other musical acts. Handmade jewelry by local children will be available to purchase in the lobby from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. A cash bar will offer beer, wine and bottled water in the Cabaret Room.

There are two stages in the Music Hall and the line up will commence on the bottom stage in the Cabaret Room at 7:30 p.m. with acoustic singer/songwriters Rachel Haynes & Kristine Bogan. Upstairs on the Main Stage at 8:30 p.m., Jessie Haynes & Cowgirl Ecstasy, a gypsy rock/ cowgirl funk band will open for headliner Lori Carson, a modern folk musician, at 10:00 p.m.

Marine Toys for Tots Foundation announced in September that in addition to looking after millions of needy children nationwide at Christmas, they will devote a significant effort to looking after children who are victims of Hurricane Katrina as well as Hurricane Rita.



Toys for Tots began in 1947 when Major Bill Hendricks from the United States Marine Corps Reserve and a group of Marine Reservists in Los Angeles collected and distributed 5,000 toys to needy children. The idea came from his wife, Diane. In the fall of 1947, she handcrafted a Raggedy Ann doll and asked him to deliver the doll to an organization, which would give it to a needy child at

Christmas. When he determined that no agency existed, they decided to start one. In 1947 the pilot project was so successful that the Marine Corps adopted Toys for Tots and expanded it into a nationwide campaign. The hallmark of the program remains today, "Bring the joy of Christmas to America's needy children."

Hendricks was a Marine Reservist on weekends. In civilian life he was the Director of Public Relations for Warner Brothers Studio. This enabled him to convince celebrities to support Toys for Tots. In 1948, Walt Disney designed the first Toys for Tots poster and logo, which is used today. In 1956 the Toys for Tots theme was recorded and sung by Nat "King" Cole, Peggy Lee, and Vic Damone. Bob Hope, John Wayne, Doris Day, Tim Allen, Kenny Rogers and Billy Ray Cyrus are a few of the long list of celebrities who have given their time and talent to Toys for Tots.

Over the 57 years that the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots Program has been in operation, Marines have distributed more than 332.5 million toys to 158.7 million needy children. This charitable endeavor has made U.S. Marines the unchallenged leaders in looking after needy children at Christmas. Over its 14-year lifespan, the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation has supplemented local toy collections with more than 55.5 million toys valued at more than \$284 million.

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# Silvia Lehrer's Cooking Column

Diwali, a joyous Indian holiday and one of the longest festivals in the Hindu year, was celebrated on November 1 and lasted for several days. Whatever the fables and legends behind the celebration may be, Diwali is generally known as the festival of lights. Doorways are hung with mango leaves and marigolds and families exchange sweets, wear new clothes and buy jewelry. Not unlike the customs of the coming winter holidays.

Carol King, formerly of *Dan's Papers*, whose husband is of Indian heritage, wishes to share some family recipes, in particular her mother-in-law's creamy rice pudding made with basmati rice, cardamom, saffron and almonds. Sugary temptations, known as *mithai*, are particularly important during Diwali. Sweetmaking has been an honored culinary specialty in India, along with the cult of dairy, resulting in milky sweets such as *kulfi*, a reduction of milk incorporating whole cardamom pods, almonds and pistachios into a frozen delight.

In addition to sweets, Carol, or CJ as we called her at *Dan's*, included her own version of a family favorite, curried shrimp heady with turmeric, garam masala, and curry she serves for the holiday. Sweet or savory, Diwali, with all its frenzy of eating and shopping, is the steady, burning lamp, a constant symbol of an illuminated mind.

## CAROL'S CURRIED SHRIMP, INDIAN STYLE

*Carol, formerly of Dan's Papers offers her husband's family recipe for curried shrimp. A must try for any shrimp lover - it's just delicious! She suggests serving the shrimp with chapati, Indian flat bread.*

Serves 6 - 8

3 tablespoons unsalted butter  
3 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil  
3-4 cloves garlic, finely chopped  
1 1/2 teaspoons turmeric powder  
1/2 teaspoon garam masala powder  
1/2 teaspoon curry powder  
1 pound large shrimp, shelled and deveined  
Wondra flour or potato starch for dusting the shrimp  
1/2 cup half and half, Optional  
Coarse (kosher) salt to taste  
  
Chapati for serving, optional

1. Melt the butter with the oil in a large, 12-inch, heavy skillet. Add the turmeric, garam masala and curry and stir to mix then add the garlic and sauté the mixture about 1 minute.

2. Meanwhile place the cleaned shrimp one layer deep on a work plate and sprinkle the flour or starch through a sieve to coat the shrimp on both sides. Add the dusted shrimp to the skillet and sauté for 2 min-

utes. With tongs turn the shrimp and sauté to 1 to 1 1/2 minutes longer until the shrimp turn pink. Season with a dash of salt as needed. Remove shrimp to a serving platter and pour the half and half, if using, into the drippings in the pan. Over medium-high heat stir the liquid to deglaze the drippings in the pan and pour over the shrimp. Serve at once with chapati, if desired.

## MULTAN DEVI'S KHEER

*As is her custom Multan Devi, of Indian heritage, celebrates with family and friends to share sweets during Diwali. For the recipe I toasted whole cardamom seeds then finely ground them in a spice grinder.*

Serves 8-10

1 cup basmati rice  
2 quarts whole or 2% milk  
2 teaspoons finely ground cardamom seeds  
1 1/4 cups sugar  
1/8 teaspoon saffron threads  
1/4 cup slivered almonds

1. Rinse the rice in a large strainer 2 or 3 times to rid the starch. Transfer to a large 5 quart saucepan and pour in the milk. Bring to the edge of a boil while stirring with a wooden spoon (watch this procedure carefully as the milk can boil over). Add the remaining ingredients and stir frequently to prevent the rice from sticking for about 35-40 minutes until the milk is absorbed and rice is still firm.

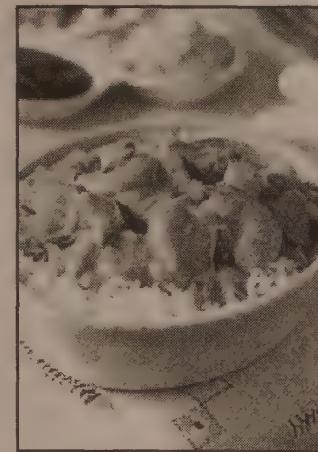
2. Remove the pan from heat and stir in the almonds. Transfer the mixture to a 6-8 cup gratin or shallow serving dish. Cover with plastic wrap and refrigerate for up to a day or two and serve.

## KULFI

*Kulfi, an ice cream made with a reduction of milk, can easily be made at home with or without an ice cream maker.*

Serves 6

9 cups 2% or whole milk  
10 whole cardamom pods



6 tablespoons sugar  
2 tablespoons chopped blanched almonds  
3 tablespoons chopped unsalted pistachios

1. Bring the milk to a boil in a large heavy pot. As soon as the milk begins to rise, turn the heat down, adjusting it to allow the milk to simmer vigorously, without boiling over. Add the cardamom pods and reduce the milk to one-third its original amount, about 3 cups. Stir frequently stirring in the film that forms on the top.

2. When the milk has reduced, remove the cardamom pods and discard them. Add the sugar and stir the simmering liquid gently for 2-3 minutes. Pour the reduced milk into a bowl and let cool completely. Stir in the almonds and half the pistachios. Cover the bowl with aluminum foil and put it in the freezer. (Or put into an ice cream maker if you have one and get it going.) Put 6 ramekins into the freezer.

3. Every 15 minutes or so remove the ice cream mixture from the freezer and give it a good stir in order to break up the crystals. As the ice cream begins to freeze, it will become harder and harder to stir. When it becomes almost impossible to stir, take the container out of the freezer, and working quickly divide the ice cream between the cups and sprinkle with remaining pistachios. Cover each ramekin with foil and return to the freezer to let the ice cream harden.

Adapted from Madhur Jaffrey's *Indian Cooking*, Barron's, 1983



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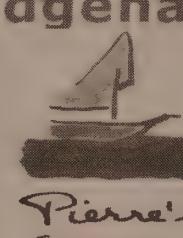
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Remember as a child when you used to sit down, get out your markers and crayons and create a picture and a letter to Santa telling him what you wished for that holiday season? I remember taking the JC Penny catalogue, cutting out the pictures and then, just in case Santa got a little confused or busy, I'd add the page numbers and price. I figured he was on a budget with a portion to go to each child, so I'd limit my list to my five favorite things and two alternates. My family celebrated both Hanukkah and Christmas, so I was technically allowed to ask for two presents for each holiday, but always put in extra just in case. The letter used to be left out a few nights before Christmas with a plate of cookies. It was amazing how hungry Santa was on those nights....we'd find a bite in every cookie.



Santa is now high tech. You can track him as he travels from the North Pole, you can instant message him, and you can e-mail him. If you are still in favor of having your child do the old-fashioned letter, the post offices will forward the letters to Santa's helpers who will happily try and answer them for you. According to the friendly staff at the Southampton Post Office, once a letter is received and identified as a "Dear Santa" letter it

is sent to the Long Island District postal plant where staff sort the letters, scan them for needs and the public is invited to be initiated as elves and asked to answer and/or send gifts to the writer. The post offices, including the Southampton one, are extending their weekday and Saturday hours to make sure every last holiday package is sent out and every child's wish comes true.

There's a wonderful website called [www.operationlettersanta.com](http://www.operationlettersanta.com) that has some wonderful interactive activities for your child to truly get in the spirit of giving. There are poignant stories of children who wrote letters to Santa looking for simple things such as a new pair of shoes that fit, or pencils for school. There's a way that you can contact the site managers and have your family "be Santa" for a family in need. There's a countdown clock, recipes and games and you can get personalized Christmas lists, e-mail the jolly man in red and get a reply within a few days. As with any website, please monitor your child and review Internet safety rules with them.

The site [www.emailsanta.com](http://www.emailsanta.com) is an adorable one. Your child can write a letter to Santa, check the "Naughty or Nice List," play "Rudolph Trivia," watch Christmas webcams, try Santa's Advent Calendar and even have your pet send an e-mail to Rudolph (that one is definitely interesting). One of the cutest features on this site is that Santa will personally autograph a picture of himself for your child to treasure and download.

Contact your local post office if you wish to play "Santa" for a child, or simply enjoy having your child write to Santa. Enjoy every moment of this innocent time in which the jolly man in red seems magical and real, where elves make beautiful toys and reindeer can fly. It simply goes by so fast.

-Jessica Gold

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ing for gymnastics classes for kids of all ages. USA Gymnastics member gymnastics club in Westhampton Beach located on CR 31, just off Sunrise Exit 63s. 288-2845. Schedule is on the web.

**HEBREW SCHOOL** - From 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. on Sundays and 5 - 6 p.m. on Wednesday At 10:30 a.m. services led by Chana Gopin for kids ages 3 - 5 and for ages 6 - 10 led by Rachel Chayo. at the Southampton Jewish Center on 214 Hill Street. Call 287-2249.

**KIDS JUJITSU** - Jujitsu classes are taking place at 37 Mile Harbor Rd. in East Hampton. 5 - 6 year olds meet on Mondays and Wednesdays at 4 p.m. 7 - 8 year-olds meet Tuesdays and Thursdays at 4 p.m. 9 - 13 year olds meet Monday - Thursday at 5 p.m. Call 329-5982

**CREATIVE MOVEMENT AND TUMBLING** - Movement and Tumbling program on Tuesday mornings for ages 6 and under through December 13 at the Arts and Crafts center, 24 Jackson Ave. in Hampton Bays. 728-8585 from 4 - 5 p.m.

**WATERCOLOR PAINTING** - Paint in watercolor with "Garden Spirits" artist and designer Lois Bender at Gurney's Inn. Children's classes are from 3-5 p.m. Advance registration is suggested and the cost is \$30 for two hours. Call 668-2345.

**WINTER WORKSHOP** - Stages winter performance workshop for 8-18 year olds now in session. Monday, Wednesday and Friday rehearsals, 4:30-6:30 p.m. at Southampton Youth Recreation Center, 1370 Major Path, Southampton. Call 329-1420.

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**CMEC WEEKEND** - 12/2-12/4 - Friday is "Late Night Pajama Night" with actress Mercedes Ruehl reading *The Fleas Sneeze* at 6:20 p.m. Celebrates England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland for multicultural Saturday with Celtic art workshop at 9:30-10:30 a.m. for ages 4-6, 11 a.m.-noon for ages 6-12. Scottish Bagpipes and Irish Penny Whistle performance at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. You and Me Sunday continues with reverse glass painting class, 10-11 a.m. for 4-6 year olds, 11:15-12:15 for 7-12 year olds. At 2 p.m. Hugh King will give a talk about Windmills on Long Island. The Children's Museum of The East End is located 6 Bridgehampton/Sag Harbor Turnpike. Call 537-8250.

**CRAFTS** - 12/2 - Story and Craft Time for children of all ages at the John Jermain Memorial Library at 3:30 p.m. Main Street, Sag Harbor. Call 725-0049.

**JINGLE IN THE WINTER** - 12/3 - Sing along with Daya Linthwaite at 10:30 a.m. Rogers Memorial Library, 91 Coopers Farm Road, Southampton. Call 283-0774.

**HOLIDAY PUPPET SHOW** - 12/3 - Goat on a Boat

**AFTER SCHOOL AT ROSS** - Fencing class for ages 10 and up, previous experience required, on Tuesdays, 4:30-5:15 p.m. Yoga for kids 8-12 on Friday, 4-5 p.m. and Animation for ages 10-13, Thursdays 3:30-4:30 p.m. At the Ross School at 20 Goodfriend Drive, East Hampton. Call 907-5555.

**FIVE CLASSES OF ANIMALS** - Every Tuesday at the Quogue Wildlife Refuge for kids ages 6-10. Learn about the five classes of animals hands on. Classes begin at 3:45 p.m. Located at 3 Old Country Road, Quogue. Call 653-4771.

**FLIP-FLOP GYMNASTICS** - Enrollment is ongo-



## TAKE A HIKE WITH KEN KINDLER



### Wolf Swamp / Elliston Park

The day after Thanksgiving my wife, sister, and stepson all wanted to take a "walk it off hike." I suggested that we join a trails group hike, but moving slowly and recovering from "turkey trance," we took a later hike on our own. My sister suggested someplace picturesque with wetlands, so I decided on Wolf Swamp.

Directions: Head north on Magee Street, cross over Sebonac Road; continue until you reach a five corner intersection; turn right onto Millstone Brook Road. After a short distance, you'll see a small parking area (on the left) for the Nature Conservancy Greef Wildlife Sanctuary at Big Woods. This area accesses the Paumanok Path. A short distance past this area is a much used, informal parking triangle. It is an unimproved dirt parking area located where Millstone Brook Road and Scott Road converge. We crossed Millstone Brook Road towards a post, a rail fence, and a couple of signs: one that says "Wolf Swamp Preserve, The Nature Conservancy," and another that welcomes people to the preserve, lists the prohibited activities, gives contact information, (phone 631-329-7689), and states the Nature Conservancy's mission, which is "to preserve plants and animals by protecting the lands and waters they need to survive."

We followed the loop trail to the right, through the 20-acre preserve, marked by yellow and green blazes. As we reached the crest of a small hill, Big Fresh Pond came into view through the bare branches of

hickory, beech, and oak trees. We followed a boardwalk over some wetlands and passed some steps to shore. We began heading back on the western segment of the Wolf Swamp loop but soon took an unmarked trail off to our right that led us across the boat ramp access road into the Paumanok Path and the 133-acre Elliston Town Park. The white rectangular blazes of the path are new and easy to follow. We followed the blazes across a terraced area by the town beach and the granite memorial to Emma Rose Elliston and back into the woods. Here the Paumanok Path shares the same route as the Big Fresh Pond Nature Trail; along with the white rectangular blazes, you will see an occasional yellow diamond or owl blaze. The trail travels through an upland oak hickory forest and enters into a swamp with red maple and tupelo. We then followed a footbridge that crosses a stream running from Big Fresh Pond. During spring this is a good vantage point to see alewife swimming upstream into the pond to spawn from North Sea Harbor. From here the trail brought us along the edge of the pond. During the warm months I enjoy seeing box turtles here.

The trail then turned north away from the pond; we found ourselves approaching a farm where a deer fence blocks the Paumanok Path. We left the blocked trail, and followed the yellow diamond blazes of the nature trail instead. We passed through a grove of spruce; the seedlings in the understory were deep green and the lower branches of the mature trees were bare; green reemerged only at their tops. We

entered a grove of red maple and walked on planks to cross the wetlands. We soon came out by the (locked) restrooms, headed back towards the terraced beach and turned right to head back along a segment of the Paumanok Path that we had walked earlier. We followed this segment of path a short distance to the boat ramp access road. Here we turned right and followed the white blazes up the access road through a chain-link gate and crossed Millstone Brook Road. We entered an area of steep knobs and deep kettles with lovely vernal ponds and winter views north of Sebonac Creek and Scallop Pond. After we followed the trail across Scott Road we enjoyed views of Sebonac Creek at the crest of every knob; the trees here were shad and beech.

When we reached a jag in the trail that took us to the edge of the Creek, the sun was setting and the light over the creek was beautiful. We continued along the trail, entering a beech wood. The next left turn blaze led us onto a dirt road. Instead of turning right to follow the Paumanok Path to the Nature Conservancy parking lot and Big Woods trail, we continued to walk the dirt road. We soon found ourselves facing across Scott Road, looking at our car on the "parking triangle." On Dec. 4 Glorian gives a similar 4-mile hike for STPS (631-283-2638).

*Ken Kindler is a Trails and Open Space Advocate working to help the trails groups and land managers care for our "Natural Island." If you would like to learn more about our trails or help care for them, visit the Hiking Long Island website. [www.hike-li.org](http://www.hike-li.org)*

## CLASSIC CARS WITH BOB GELBER

In the last article that I wrote, when referring to the automobile industry, I said that due to superior global competition, General Motors had best watch out. As you all know, just last week the General announced that in the next few years, it will close several major car factories and lay off thirty thousand workers. What's bad for General Motors is bad for the United States.

What irks me most is that their chief executives have all sorts of excuses for General Motors' poor performance, from increased foreign competition to expensive health care costs per worker. The cold hard truth is the fact that, for the last ten years, General Motors has been making dumb, dull products that nobody wants. Their best selling points were incredible rebates that seemed to make their products a bargain, real or imagined.

Take, for instance, their introduction of the Hummer H2. While much improved from over the military version, the H1, it still underachieved in the gas mileage department. Then there was the Pontiac Aztec, one of the most ungainly looking vehicles ever produced. Gas prices have been rising into the stratosphere over the last few years but the only car General Motors produced as an economy car was the Chevrolet Cavalier, which was a stage coach as compared to the high MPG models offered by Honda and Toyota. The main reason GM pinned all its hopes on large vehicles was that there was more profit built into selling larger, more expensive vehicles. Didn't anyone notice that perhaps selling millions of small vehicles rather than a few large ones would yield profit?

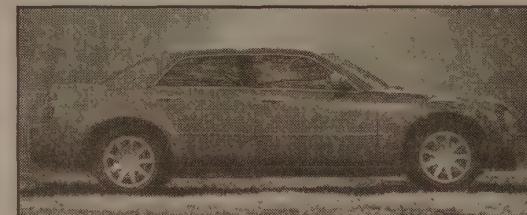
The General has had two success stories recently,

but not without caveats. The new, magnificent Chevrolet Corvette Z06 has proven to the world that we can build a "faster than Ferrari" motorcar for one third the price. As powerful as the Corvette is, I'm disappointed that the engine powering the car is based upon a fifty-year-old design. However, when one thinks about it, so is a Porsche motor.

Then we have the new Pontiac Solstice. Here we have a car that has been the darling of the automotive press for the last six months, getting gobs of great write-ups and free publicity for General Motors. Here's a GM product that everybody finally seems to want. The several GM dealers I talked to said their allotment of six, yes I said six, cars was used up for 2006. Are the product planners at GM insane? Stop making Buicks for a while and make Solstices.

Ford and Chrysler have also been remiss with their product development, although not as bad as General Motors. The Ford Escort of past years was an excellent and dependable economy car, though not up to the build quality of the Japanese competitors. The current Ford Focus is probably the best handling small car in the world, and an excellent buy. It hasn't been properly promoted. Did you know that it is the best selling car in England, and one of the best selling vehicles in Europe? Ford sat on its midsize Taurus sedan too long and ran the design into the ground, losing sales to Toyota and Honda, but they now seem to be back on track with their new Fusion sedan.

Probably the best thing that happened to Chrysler is that they were purchased by Daimler Benz. For a while they were building some incredibly stupid cars. The whole line of K cars were terrible machines, all designed and sold during the reign of Lee Iacocca. Why was this man a hero? Chrysler certainly has the most attractive product line in America. Their top selling four door Chrysler 300 makes the competition look dated. I'm not crazy about the chopped-and-channeled goon look of its products, but I have to say



Chrysler 300

they are all au courant and clever looking. Two problems. The only small car that Chrysler produces is the PT Cruiser, whose retro looks are getting rather boring. What's next? And why do they keep advertising big bore hemi-engined cars and trucks that

we all know get under fifteen miles per gallon? Doesn't anyone at Chrysler read the papers and notice the price of gas is off the wall?

I love American iron, and in fact, my daily driver is a Ford Focus SVT. There was a time when American cars were kings of the road, in any country. American V-8 engines were put into many foreign cars, like British Range Rovers and Italian DeTomaso Panteras. Ferrari and Jaguar used American automatic transmissions. Our air conditioning and luxury accessories systems were the envy of the world. At one time America built the fastest and best made automotive products the world had ever seen. I don't know if anyone remembers, but in the famous French film, *A Man and a Woman*, the male lead drove a 1965 Ford Mustang fastback throughout Europe. In the film *Gran Prix* James Garner's ride was a 1966 Shelby Mustang that he drove from one European race circuit to another. In those days, whether Cadillacs or Mustangs, American cars were the cars of the moment throughout the world.

This can all happen again, but our auto manufacturers have to open their eyes. Build products for the times. Think not years, but decades ahead. We all know that the Japanese and the Koreans build excellent products. Our inability to manufacture quality, competitive exports has awoken a sleeping giant, China. Watch out for those Chinese cars, coming soon to your neighborhood. An hour after you buy one, you will feel the urge to buy another one.

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# When In Manhattan...BY OLIVER PETERSON

## Bodies

Last week I wrote about the joys of the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade. I apologized for featuring something that would be over by the time you actually got around to reading about it. I still thought it fit the theme of the weekend, and could be a heads-up for planning next year. Well, I'm glad you didn't go. A wayward M&M's balloon hooked a lamppost and showered debris down, injuring two sisters. The younger 11-year-old suffered minor scrapes, and the older, 26, got this – in a wheelchair – took a shot to the back of the head, requiring 6 stitches. Wear a helmet next year.

Our bodies are precious. We don't often think about the complex mass of flesh that travels with us for the duration of this life, but it's an amazing machine. The blood and the organs and the guts and the vulnerable brain are kind of gross to consider, and frankly, a little creepy. No one likes to be reminded of mortality. However, an exhibition opened on November 19 at the new Exhibition Centre at the South Street Seaport that, while definitely unsettling, approaches the human body in a fashion unlike anything before. **BODIES.....**The Exhibition showcases 22 whole-body specimens and over 260 organ and partial body specimens presented in a remarkable new way. These are real human bodies. What was once only available to doctors and medical students is now out and available for anyone to view. The really amazing part is that within the 30,000-square-foot exhibition space, nothing is float-

ing in a pool of Formaldehyde, nothing is frozen, and, thank God, nothing is decaying.

The human specimens in this show are preserved using a revolutionary technique called polymer preservation. Tissue is permanently preserved using liquid silicone rubber that is treated and hardened after bonding with the human sample. The final product is a rubberized body or part, preserved all the way down to the cells. This method provides an unparalleled look at the complexity of our bones, muscles, blood vessels, nerves, and organs. Aside from the protective glass housing, there is nothing between the viewer and the body on display. Preserved specimens are impervious to decomposition and can take up to a year to create. The bodies were obtained from the Dalian Medical University of Plastination Laboratories in the People's Republic of China. Asia has the largest and most competent group of anatomists in the world. Identities are withheld, but the cause of death is often an important part of the display.

Features of the exhibition give a close and personal look at the sometimes beautiful skeletal, muscular, respiratory and circulatory systems, but it also functions to show visitors the effects of unhealthy

lifestyle choices much more powerfully than any textbook image can. One gallery demonstrates the perils of obesity by showing damaged organs due to overeating and lack of exercise, while another compares a healthy lung to a smoker's black lung. Seeing the real thing,

staring you in the face, is an incredibly strong argument for healthy living. We also see cirrhosis, breast cancer, colon cancer, and osteoporosis. The whole thing is very strange. One body holds a baseball and is cocked back and ready to throw. Another holds a football. These were once living breathing people. They have families, and possessions, and jobs, and lives. These dead people had lives. It's hard to wrap your mind around. **BODIES.....** is sure to draw controversy in the coming weeks, but I really believe that this exhibition has merit. I wouldn't hesitate to bring a child. The curtain has been pulled away for the general public. We have a unique opportunity to see something we never have. It's artistic. It's scientifically incredible. It asks us to treat ourselves better. We are human beings and we all share this temple of flesh. A little insight into the one thing we will have for all our years is a welcome gift.

**BODIES.....**The Exhibition is open daily through the end of February at the new Exhibition Centre at South Street Seaport, 11 Fulton Street. Hours: Monday-Wednesday 10a.m.-7p.m., Thursday-Sunday 10a.m.-10p.m. Adults \$24.50, Children \$18.50, Seniors \$20.50. Go to [www.bodiestickets.com](http://www.bodiestickets.com) for tickets.



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**ARLENE BUJESE GALLERY** - "Dealer's Choice" runs through February 18. Located at 66 Newtown Lane in East Hampton. Call 324-2823.

**ARTISAN GALLERY** - Showing artists Neil Slaughter and Margery Gosnell Qua. Located at 15 Ponquogue Avenue in Hampton Bays. Call 728-8040.

**BATISTE SALON** - Photographer Brandon Merkell on display. Located at 75 Main St. in Sag Harbor. Call 631-725-9494.

**BIRNAM WOOD GALLERIES** - Now showing the Second Annual Contemporary Lincoln Center Prints exhibit. Located at 52 Park Place in East Hampton. Call 324-6010.

**BUTLER'S FINE ART GALLERY** - Painting and prints by Abstract Expressionist Arnold Hoffman Jr on display. Open Thursday-Monday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Located at 50 Park Place, East Hampton. Call 267-0193.

**BOCA LUPO ART GALLERY** - Walter Krajicek's work opens on December 2, noon-8 p.m. Located at 552 West Lake Drive in Montauk.

**CANIO'S BOOKS** - "Through the Seasons at Quail Hill," photographs by Kathryn Szoka through December. Call 725-4926. Located at 290 Main Street, Sag Harbor.

**CELADON** - The Potters of the Clay Art Guild of the Hamptons are having a holiday sale through December 18. Open Saturday and Sundays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Call 726-2547. Located at 41 Old Mill Road in Water Mill.

**CHRYSALIS GALLERY** - Now showing Yvonne Dagger, Christine Gordon, Joyce Bennet Klein,



"Artist on the Rocks" by Neil Slaughter at Artisan Gallery

0798.

**GALLERY MERZ** - Winter exhibition: "Art From Detritus" on display at 95 Main Street, Sag Harbor. Call 725-2803.

**GRENNING GALLERY** - "Gems of the Grenning Gallery" showing through December 23. Also introducing James D Albison and Sculptor Gwen Marcus. Located at 90 Main Street, Sag Harbor. Call 725-8469.

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Edwina Halsey and more. Located at 2 Main Street in Southampton. Call 287-1883.

**COMMUNICATION ARTS CENTER** - Lena Yaremenko's first exhibit in the United States on display with a reception on December 3, 4-8 p.m. Located at 26 Goodfriend Drive in East Hampton. Call 324-5550.

**CREATIVE MERGE** - Located at 64 Jobs Lane, Southampton. Call 287-1143.

**THE DEPOT GALLERY** - Located at the Montauk Arts Community Center at the junction of Edgemere and Flamingo Roads. Call 668-1283.

**THE DRAWING ROOM** -

"Affinities: A Salon Installation of Contemporary and Historical Works" runs through January 8. Located in East Hampton at 16R Newtown Lane. Hours are Thursday - Monday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Call 324-5016.

**EAST END BOOKS** - Annual

Gallery Artist Show featuring Joyce Tenneson, Stephen Huneck, and Lura Brookins runs through January 25. Located at 53 The Circle in East Hampton. Call 324-8680.

**FERREGUT TOWER GALLERY** - On December 1 "Celebrations from Around the World" begins, showcasing Antonio Ciconni, Nancy Clarks, Frank Wimberly, Kathleen Bifocal and Sheridan Sansegundo and Dallas Ernst. The opening reception will be on December 10 and show runs through January 30.

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8pm and Sunday 11-6pm. Every Saturday wine reception 6-8pm. Located at 77 Job's Lane, Southampton. Call 283-6308

**MADELLE HEGERLER SEMERJIAN GALLERY** - Located in the lower level of the Rogers Memorial Library in Southampton at 91 Coopers Farm Road. Call 283-0774, ext. 515.

**MARK BORGHI FINE ART** - Showing 19th and 20th century art. Hours are 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. daily. Located at 2462 Main St. in Bridgehampton. Call 537-7245.

**MICHAEL PEREZ GALLERY** - Open Tues - Sat 11 a.m.-6 p.m. and Sun. 12 - 5 p.m. Located at 49 Jobs Lane, Southampton. Call 516-532-3040.

**PAMELA WILLIAMS GALLERY** - Located at 167 Main St. in Amagansett. Call 267-7817.

**PARASKEVAS GALLERY** - Michael Paraskevas' gallery has been located in Westhampton for the past 15 years. Displaying illustrations from his mother's children's books including a new Cartoon Network animated series. Located at 83 Main St., Westhampton Beach. Call 288-3812.

**PARRISH ART MUSEUM** - "Finders' Keepers: The Obsessions of Collectors" now on view through December. Located at 25 Jobs Lane in Southampton. Call 283-2118.

**QUOGUE LIBRARY ART GALLERY** - Will hold the first art contest for high school students during the month of December, exhibiting 30 works in a variety of media. Call the library at 653-4224. Located at 90 Quogue St. in Quogue.

**SARA NIGHTINGALE GALLERY** - Located at 688 Montauk Hwy in Water Mill. Call 726-0076 or visit saranightingale.com.

**SILAS MARDER GALLERY** - A show featuring the works of Lola Schnabel, John Rist, Tin Ojeda and Angelbert Meytoyer runs through December 19. Gallery hours are 12-5 p.m. Wed.-Fri., 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Call 702-2306.

**SOLAR** - Located at 44 Davids Lane in East Hampton. Call 907-8422.

**SOLOMON CONTEMPORARY** - "Donald Sultan: Smoke....." runs through December. 126 Main Street in Sag Harbor. Call 267-0828.

**SOUTHAMPTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY** - "December Past & Present" on view through January 9. Located at 17 Meeting House Lane in Southampton. Call 283-2494.

**SPANIERMAN GALLERY** - Simeon Braguin's "Quietly Bold: Essex Harbor Series, 1970-96" on display through January 16. Located at 68 Newtown Lane (building in rear) in East Hampton. Call 329-9630.

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**TULLA BOOTH GALLERY** - Located on Main Street in Sag Harbor. Call 725-3100.

**UBS FOYER GALLERY** - Local Bridgehampton artist Christine Chew Smith on display at UBS Financial Services. Inc. foyer Gallery through January 12. Located at 8 Main Street in Southampton. Call 537-3310.

**VERED GALLERY** - Located at 68 Park Place Passage in East Hampton. Call 324-3303. Visit www.veredart.com.

**VIGNOLI GALLERY** - Now showing paintings by Brazilian artist Fernando Vignoli. Located at 127 Main St. in Sag Harbor. Call 725-6400.

**WESTHAMPTON BEACH PERFORMING ARTS CENTER** - Now showing artist Max Moran. Located at 76 Main Street in Westhampton Beach. Call 283-2350.

**WINTER TREE GALLERY** - Roxie Munro's "New York Light" runs through December 15th. Located at 125 Main Street in Sag Harbor. Call 725-0097.

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## ART COMMENTARY With Marion Wolberg Weiss

## LINDA ALPERN AND JUDITH LEIBER AT GUILD HALL

While Linda Alpern's photographs share commonalities with other photographers' works, she conveys her own special way of seeing the world. Yet we can't help but recall Man Ray's distortions of the human figure, recently displayed at Vered Gallery. His manipulations featured the concept of "doubling"; Ms. Alpern's pieces are similarly inspired but present variations on a theme.

Ms. Alpern extends the idea of doubling to include literal examples of twins, like "Will and Finn" and "Bully Boys." Then there's also her picture of three images, the foregrounded one showing a man smoking, the backgrounded images depicting a contorted form which resembles Siamese twins. Is this a representation of the id, ego and superego? Chuck Close's portrait also employs a background/foreground perspective for duplicating purposes. Ms. Alpern's bodies floating in water convey other kinds of distortions. The sheer variety of Ms. Alpern's subjects holds interest as well. Consider her "family" portraits of her sister, Ronnie, and her extended family which includes Ted Dragon, John Chamberlain and Ossorio Alphonso. The position of the last subject, taken in a bathtub, is not only a bit bizarre, but surrealistic, too, appropriate for the surrealist Ossorio. Ms. Alpern's photographs of "street" people are at once idiosyncratic and universal: the



Photo M.W. Weiss

Judith Leiber bags at Guild Hall

bleached blond in Los Angeles, the young woman in Rome, the four skateboarders posed again a wall (recalling a Larry Clark scene). There's something disturbing about Ms. Alpern's world view, which is one of her strongest assets.

Conversely, Judith Leiber's pocketbooks are pure pleasure to behold: elegant, exuberant, exalting. We have only to spend five minutes at this display before dismissing the traditional notion that functional objects can't be art.

We also have to dismiss the idea that Ms. Leiber has a "signature" purse. Or at least question it. In fact, variation is the quality that predominates. And, of course, extraordinary styling. From the 1970s to the present, Ms. Leiber's diverse materials (including alligator, velvet, leather, canvas, rhinestones, and suede) and shapes (like satchels, clutches, envelopes and balls) are mind-boggling. While Ms. Leiber's animal-shaped pocketbooks are personal favorites, her real contribution is the timelessness of her designs. Her purses will still be appreciated years from now, when most of her clients have long departed from this earth.

By the way, this critic swears she remembers a purse worn by her mother that was almost identical to one gloriously displayed at Guild Hall. We can always dream, can't we?

*Ms. Alpern's and Ms. Leiber's exhibition will be on view at East Hampton's Guild Hall until Jan. 15, 2006.*

## HONORING THE ARTIST: DRU FREDERICK

This week's cover by Dru Frederick not only represents an icon for East End dwellers but has special significance for its artist as well: the setting, Hook Pond, is both the subject of Ms. Frederick's current series and also a familiar and favorite site from when she would spend summers here.

Or as Ms. Frederick puts it, "Hook Pond is one of the real visual splendors of this area."

Even so, the space also reinforces Ms. Frederick's view of nature, her wish to "capture the underlying essence of subjects, to go beyond the surface." We imagine that an environment like Hook Pond allows her to express her signature style, or as she describes it, "abstract representational," in an "immediate, spontaneous, direct way."

Ms. Frederick first became aware that she had a special connection to her subjects and to art in general when she was in high school. She recalls making terra cotta sculpture at the time, abstract figurative work where "magic happens." Another valuable experience in her creative process occurred when she attended Ohio Wesleyan University and learned the importance of drawing.

Taking graphic art courses at the University of Michigan also helped Ms. Frederick on her way, encouraging her to appreciate design and simplicity more. "I also got a little neater after taking



Photo by April Gallo

graphic art courses," she says with a little laugh.

While Ms. Frederick, who moved here full-time ten years ago, finds most of her subjects on the East End, traveling to Europe has been inspiring, particularly the two summers she spent in England's Lake District as a student and, more recently, in France's Loire Valley where she paints outside (naturally). "The light is more intense

there," Ms. Frederick explains. "I would take a big canvas, roll it up, and take off for the fields. The locals seem to appreciate artists painting the landscape although we didn't come upon many tourists. I also remember going out at night to paint, where there would be only white cows in the field and the moon shining on them."

For a person who enjoys visual experiences, this is an "offbeat" image Ms. Frederick is sure to recall. Her aesthetic influences have also tended to be offbeat: when asked to name some favorite artists, she quickly answered, "Alice Neel and Francis Bacon." It appears Ms. Frederick has a penchant for those things that possess exotic or unusual qualities, like organic gardens and orchids. (She grows all of the above.) Also somewhat unconventional is the business she has in fine art restoration. It's her way of preserving old and cherished objects. Come to think of it, Ms. Frederick's Hook Pond series is about restoration, too.

—Marion Wolberg Weiss

*For more information about Ms. Frederick's art work, contact DSA Fine Arts in Beacon, New York. For restoration matters, call Ms. Frederick at 631-287-3128.*

# Guy de Fraumeni's Hollywood in The Hamptons

Popular musical biographies are popping up on the big screen with the regularity of a bad penny since Danny Kaye played Red Nichols in *The Five Pennies*, a movie that had me wanting to cash in my love of films for perhaps mis-spending my youth in a pool hall. These days pop music biopics have matured nicely and I can leave the theatre humming a tune and not wanting to kick a poor defenseless creature, except of course if it's the producer/director of *De-lovely*.

With the lingering, commanding presence of *Ray*, Taylor Hackford's Ray Charles story, still warm, comes another ambitious undertaking to lay out on view "the man and his music" for us to pay tribute to Johnny Cash and, thereby, enshrine for the ages his work and talent on DVDs and videotape. I must quickly add that James Mangold's *Walk The Line* equally recounts the talents and strengths of June Carter, Cash's wife and partner. And as recreated by Reese Witherspoon, Miss Carter rises above the lofty heights Mr. Mangold, as writer and director, has set for the "Man In Black" Johnny Cash. This should not necessarily put down Joaquin Phoenix's performance as Cash which is perfectly admirable in every way. We might put it to the notion that we have had so many good-to-excellent portraits of pop stars, the novelty is blunted. Add to that, Cash's biographical rise from po'-Southern-boy-poverty to success, to hard times, to success, to hard times, to fame has an all too familiar twang about it. However, Phoenix generates some truly stirring moments, both musical and without the help of music or latex make-up appliances. I, for one, admire the actor's risk-taking ability. He works without Johnny Cash's actual recorded voice (this made the Ray Charles film so startlingly real). Phoenix sings the songs himself, without the bar-

## Walk The Line



rel-chested, rain-barrel resonance that gave the real Cash Value to Cash's near-threatening tenor, or should I say baritone-to-basso voice that gave him the "bad man" identity. When his wardrobe went from white to black, only a few were surprised. He was *bad* in the best sense of the meaning.

The "badness" was molded in bold relief on Cash's face — that imperious nose and, the harrow-carved ruts in his face. He was practically born with them. Mr. Phoenix's slick face has fortunately, plenty of black. Black hair and eyebrows and, oh! those deep deep black eyes. Somehow, otherwise, depth in *Walk The Line* tends to swim flashily on the surface. Finally, it floats totally at sea.

Ms. Witherspoon, on the other hand, tightly grabs a refreshing role: the strong-willed woman

who doesn't just flop into the arms of the country-rock star who's crazy about her. She's a grand, Grand ol' Opry star in her own right. The gospel-inspired singing family she was part of was revered. The Carter Family's prestige didn't need a dark ominous man who needed to tread cautiously with his guitar held high. The law worried him for his being high on green speedies, etc. The movie has him on the stuff because his muse, June, keeps him at guitar distance. Witherspoon is being hyped for an Oscar and it is justified. Her performance is totally marvelous.

However, sadly, though she puts a weighty amount of flesh on her role, the script leaves her wanting. In the end, she is left scrawny and Twiggy-thin. Mr. Phoenix is also left bereft — high and dry without the meaty stuff that made so many other music biographies heavyweight contenders.

*Walk The Line* does not follow its own admonishment. It wavers off the thin fine line between good and bad. The motion picture messes with it in a tangy, entertaining way, but side-steps the meaning. Did Cash perform so passionately at Folsom Prison because he took advantage of a captive audience, or actually because he felt he was one of them? June Carter was captivated by it. She wrote Cash's huge hit, "Ring of Fire," but the film never has her cross into the "Ring." There's the failing. When things get hot, *Walk The Line* avoids the hot coals that sear an audience's memory.

*Guy Jean de Fraumeni is the producer/writer/director of award-winning European and American feature films. He has been a judge at major film and TV award competitions, including the Oscars, the Emmys and various film festivals. He is assisted by Sarah Halsey.*

## MOVIES

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**Harry Potter** — Wed. and Thurs. 11:50, 3:25, 7, 10:35

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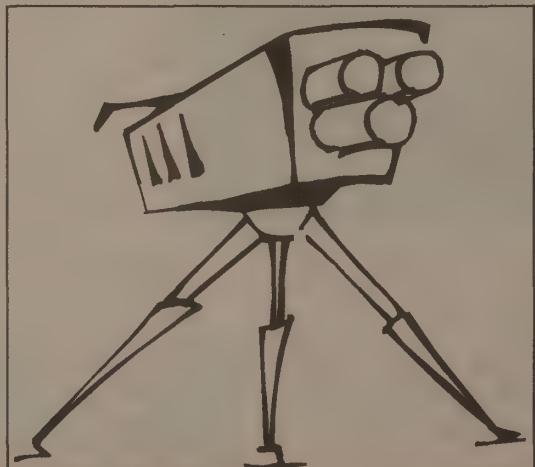
**Shopgirl** — Wed. and Thurs. 12:10, 2:40, 5:05, 7:35, 10

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**Chicken Little** — 12:20, 2:45, 4:50, 7:15, 9:15 Fri.—Sun. 12:20, 2:45, 4:50, 7:15, 9:15

Mon.—Thurs. 4:50, 7:15, 9:15

**Rent** — 12:45, 4, 7:20, 10:20



Fri.—Sun. 12:20, 4, 7:20, 10:20 Mon.—Thurs. 4, 7:20, 10:20

**Pride and Prejudice** — Wed. and Thurs. 1:15, 4:15, 7:40, 10:30 Fri.—Sun. 1:15, 4:15, 7:40, 10:30 Mon.—Thurs. 4:15, 7:40, 10:30

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**Just Friends** — Fri.—Sun. 12:30, 2:55, 5:15, 7:40, 10:10

Mon.—Thurs. 5:15, 7:40

**Chicken Little** — Fri.—Sun. 12:20, 2:40, 5, 7:15, 9:30

Mon.—Thurs. 5, 7:15

**Yours Mine and Ours** — Fri.—Sun. 12:15, 2:45, 5:10, 7:25,

9:50 Mon.—Thurs. 5:10, 7:25

**Aeon Flux** — Fri.—Sun. 12:05, 2:35, 5:05, 7:30, 10

Mon.—Thurs. 5:05, 7:30

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**Proof** — Sat. and Sun. 8

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7:10, 10 Mon.—Thurs. 4, 7:10

**Walk the Line** — Fri.—Sun. 12:15, 3:45, 7:20, 10:25 Mon.

and Tues. 3:45, 7:20

**Harry Potter** — Fri.—Sun. 12, 3:30, 7, 10:30 Mon. and Tues. 3:30, 7

**Ice Harvest** — Fri.—Sun. 12:45, 4:15, 7:30, 10:10 Mon. and Tues. 4:15, 7:30

#### HAMPTON ARTS CINEMA

(288-2600)

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8:10

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## WALL STREET

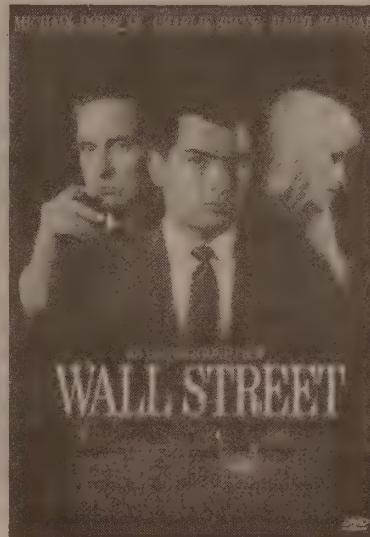
Jump into your track shoes and run, don't walk to the Ross School's auditorium on Goodfriend Drive (off Route 114) on Saturday December 5th. Be there before 2 p.m. because the "They Made the Movie Here" is Oliver Stone's award winning *Wall Street*. If Thanksgiving dinner has you lethargic and groaning, this film will whip you into shape. You'll get a pounding, physical going-over by the aggressive, jabbing, Oscar-winning performance of Michael Douglas as Gordon Gekko, a no-holds-barred, destructive Wall Street terminator, who will lie, cheat, search-and-destroy any company or anyone to make a million or so and preferably, a lot more. *Wall Street's* penetrating, eye-opening action and deep massaging of your anger is guaranteed to trim off a few of those calorie-filled furrows on your brow. Here's the drill: Call *Dan's Papers* for reservations and/or to get there early to be sure you get worked over by wheeler-dealer Gekko, one of the most powerful and rottenest buyers and sellers in the market. Warning: you will leave satisfied, but bruised, and it's free.

Initially, I was surprised when I first heard that *Wall Street* was to be Oliver Stone's follow-up film for his raw and scathing war movie, *Platoon*, which won so many Oscars, among them Best Picture and Best Director. I figured Ollie needed a little peace and respite from warfare. Boy, was I wrong. In *Wall Street*, which he co-wrote with Stanley Weiser, not only do the traders wage business war with Eastern philosophical battle tactics, but Stone's Gekko goes

far beyond the Art of war, he also buys and sells high-priced art. He lives for high profit and low morals. He's a killer in business. His mottoes (the milder ones) include: "Churn 'em and burn 'em" and, "Rip their F-ing throats out," "Legal? LEGAL? HAH!" He eats raw meat (Lunch is for wimps). He chews up competition and spits 'em out onto the street. Money is power.

From Stone's daybreak opening scenes of NYC on its way to work to swinging Sinatra singing, "Fly me to the moon . . .", into the flying-numbers brokerage houses and the seemingly crazed, high-rolling action off the Stock Market . . . even out as far as the smooth, rolling wave-action of East Hampton beaches, there is tacit manipulation, clawing deception and lascivious profit hunting, and it smells.

Also on the scent of BIG money is young Bud Fox, (Charlie Sheen) who is a wannabe Gekko in this tale that attacks the "American Way." The story is a kind of one-plot-fits-all that you've seen done to many themes and subjects. To wit: Bud comes across with illegal inside info for Gekko and a box of Cuban cigars. It works, it generates bucks. Gekko sends Bud



a blonde, a stretch limo, champagne, no pain cocaine, and oral sex. POW! Buddy Boy is hooked. He's an \$800-suited corporate spy buying and selling out his best friends, his girl friend (Darryl Hannah), and his Dad (real life father, Martin Sheen, in very winning form). Can Bud turn against his colossal mentor and idol?

Oliver Stone dedicated this film to his father, who had been a broker. *Wall Street* has passion and his trading war is pictured with a good, in-step cast, including the impeccable performer, Terence Stamp, but it's the bile-like juice of chunky Mike Douglas' Gekko that makes the army march boldly.

So, park and march or jog to the Ross School's auditorium for refreshments, and, more eats and local talk by your guest host Marion Wolberg Weiss and Sarah Halsey. O.K. let's go - HUP 2-3-4, HUP 2-3-4. GASP!

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## Dave Evans' MINI - MOVIE REVIEWS

### Aeon Flux

The film that nearly killed Charlize Theron finally makes it to the movie theater and seems to have been well worth the risk. Backed by a surprisingly highbrow cast (Sophie Okonedo, Pete Postlethwaite and Frances McDormand are the tip of the iceberg here), Theron stars as the title character, an undercover operative, 400 years from now. Breathtaking science fiction.

### Chicken Little

Disney hurls itself into the world of CGI animation whole-heartedly without Pixar to hold a hand in this fairy-tale adaptation. The casting is smart and savvy with "Scrubs" Zach Braff as Chicken Little, backed by the voices of Amy Sedaris, Patrick Stewart and Wallace Shawn, but the film feels lifeless. If Disney is to reclaim its role as King of Animation, it will need something far more original.

### Derailed

Swedish director Mikael Hafstrom turns his attention to America with this tale of infidelity, violence and blackmail. Jennifer Aniston and Clive Owen star as the adulterous executives who are caught canoodling on a train by a sinister and deranged Vincent Cassel. Silly and quite graphic in its way, the "Odd Couple" casting of the leads should generate enough interest in this average thriller.

### Good Night, and Good Luck

Don't hate George Clooney just because he's beautiful. Of course he was the envy of every man as the unstoppable Dr. Ross in TV's "E.R.", a reputation his film career has managed to maintain. Then there's the celebrity lifestyle, the casino he

and friend Brad Pitt have apparently purchased and now this. Clooney has created, hands-down the best modern noir in years. See this, and then cry alone that you will never be him.

### Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire

How long can this keep going on? As the young stars of the series struggle to hide their growth with longer hair and bigger capes it is hard to wonder how the same actors will be shoehorned into their gowns when J.K. Rowling's saga finally rolls to an end. *Four Weddings and a Funeral* director Mike Newell takes over here and it is the usual fun, backed by a phenomenal cast of British character actors.

### Just Friends

Breaking away from type-casting as slaughter-fodder in *The Amityville Horror*, actor Ryan Reynolds dons a fat-suit for this gross-out comedy about a boy, Chris, trying to woo his friend Samantha (Anna Farris). Post-fat-suit there's a flash-forward to a newer, thinner man but here he finds himself competing with the sleazy but stunning Dusty (Chris Klein). Funny in that guilty, dirty way that involves switching off your brain.

### Kiss Kiss, Bang Bang

Action-film guru Shane Black (writer of, among others, the *Lethal Weapon* series and the excellent *The Long Kiss Goodnight*) turns his hand to directing in this story of mis-matched crime-fighting partners. Robert Downey Jr. is fantastic as ever and Val Kilmer is less wooden than he has been in years. Fun, fresh, lively and well worth the price of admission.

### Rent

It's been a few years since *Rent* was the hottest

thing on Broadway but the story of twenty-something would-be bohemians growing up in the East Village is still lively and fun in all the right ways. The strong cast consists of unjustly underused movie stars such as Rosario Dawson and Taye Diggs and more established stage actors. It's hard to resist such a charming musical that arrives just in time for Christmas.

### Walk the Line

This biopic of the late country legend Johnny Cash has been garnering fabulous reviews from around the world's festivals. Conventional and to the point, the power here seems to lie in Joaquin Phoenix's masterly imitation of the man himself, supported by the often under-used Reese Witherspoon. Enough to allow one to forgive director James Mangold's earlier time-traveling romantic comedy disaster, *Kate and Leopold*.

### Yours, Mine and Ours

Filling the gap between *Brady Bunch* revivals, this family comedy follows the adventures of a Coast Guard Admiral (Dennis Quaid) and a handbag designer (Rene Russo) who have, between them, 18 children. The kids range from teen pin-ups to cute novelty acts, picking up the slack where the tired main stars cannot. Painless but predictable.

### Zathura

Writer-director Jon Favreau is a strange fish. He wrote the script for the indie classic *Swingers* and also took the helm for the amazingly successful *Elf*. None of which seems to come close to explaining why this new film has happened. In a story all too reminiscent of *Jumanji*, two children stumble across a board game, which blasts their house into space. Drivel.

# Entertainment In Town

## review: in the continuum...by gordin & christiano

At first glance the stories of Abigail, a married television reporter in Zimbabwe, South Africa, and Nia, a young 19-year-old girl/woman growing up in West Hollywood, California, would appear to have little in common, except that both are black women of African descent. With the unfolding of Danai Gurira's and Nikkole Salter's potent *In the Continuum*, we discover this couldn't be further from the truth. Although separated by continents, they will share several harrowing and similar experiences.

Their compelling tale begins with two women playing like children on a bare stage, and we immediately realize they are not just behaving like children, but are indeed playing children. They skip, they jump, they draw a circle, they tease, but the games quickly run amok, and the girls begin to bicker. As the quarreling intensifies and erupts one girl hurls the insulting "Your mama's got HIV." In the next moment the women are now grown teenagers dancing with joyful abandonment. They are filled with enthusiasm for life.

As a journalist Abigail struggles with her government supported television network over content, but is thrilled to learn she is expecting her second child. Meanwhile, back in West Hollywood, Nia, who struggles with her mother over her life choices, learns she has become pregnant by the talented basketball star she is infatuated with and now dreams of marrying the man heavily being recruited by the colleges. The women's excitement quickly turns sour when they both learn the men have given them HIV as well. Their families and friends respond to the news sadly in practically the same ways. How these women deal with the news and their friends responses gives *In the Continuum* its heart.

Both women struggle elegantly with their overwhelming circumstances and both women long to expose the men, but fear the consequences.

These are powerful journeys told in a series of interweaving and overlapping monologues, which showcase each actress' particular skills. The actresses/writers portray all the people in their respective worlds. The women are simply transformed into their multiple characters with the merest of costume adjustment by designer Sarah Hilliard..... an orange wrap, a piece of blue silk that becomes a miniskirt, a colored fabric for a headdress, and so forth.

Danai Gurira plays Abigail as well as becoming the witch doctor, a case worker, a nurse, and an old friend she encounters as she endures her diagnoses. An expressively skilled actress, she makes difficult transitions seem easy as she mutates into each character and back again.

Nikkole Salter turns Nia into a forcefully raw woman of color characterized by a spirited attitude, but marked by an underlying insecurity. She is emotionally moving, especially when her childlike enthusiasm takes off on a flight of fantasy in an attempt to deny her circumstances. She also plays Nia's cynical mother, her pre-occupied social worker, her cousin Keysha, who gives unsentimental practical advice, and her boyfriend's hardened mother.



Photo by James Leynes

Nikkole Salter

Director Robert O'Hara has allowed the women's story to be told with total lack of sentimentality that illuminates the drama with a comedic light touch. The characters are keenly observed and filled with a humor that is acutely authentic. We are entertained by them, laughing at them and with them, but are ultimately saddened as their plight becomes devastatingly real. The evening is an unforgettable theatrical experience that demands to be seen.

This is disturbing material that is intended to shine light on black women in their fight against HIV/AIDS. They represent the highest rate of new infections in both the U.S. and Africa. *In the Continuum* was produced by Primary Stages and played a limited engagement at 59E59 Theaters. The play has been moved to the Perry Street Theatre, where it is playing an open ended run and will be visited by the Pulitzer Prize committee.

*In the Continuum* began performances at Perry Street Theatre, between Seventh Ave and West 4th Street, on November 18, 2005 and opens on December 1. This review is based on the original performance at 59E59 Theaters. For tickets call 212-868-4444.

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# HOLIDAY GUIDE

## Pucker Up: It's Mistletoe Time

That giant sucking sound? It's not the sound of jobs being lost to our friends south of the border as a result of NAFTA as Ross Perot prophesized; it is your Aunt Martha under the mistletoe accosting every cousin who walks by her. Inevitably, with the tree, wreaths, lights and stockings, comes the mistletoe and along with it, the opportunity to smooch the one you love, or get smooched by Aunt Martha - a mixed blessing by any measure. So whether it's case A, and you're laying a wet one on your woman, or case B and Aunt Martha is laying a wet one on you, you have the Druids (or the Greek gods, or the Anglo-Saxons) to thank - or blame - whichever the case may be.

Back in the day (meaning a long, long, long time ago), mistletoe was revered by the Druids. Because it grows without roots in the ground, they believed that the gods planted it. They used it as an antidote to poisons, to make sacrifices to their gods, to protect them from curses and witchcraft, cure illnesses and exorcise demons. Women wore it around their necks, hoping it would bless them with fertility. Some hung it over a crib to protect babies from being kidnapped by fairies, and others wore it around their necks because they believed it would make them invisible. The Druids valued mistletoe so much that they would trim it from trees with golden sickles and place a white cloth on the ground to prevent any of it from touching the earth. Any trimmings that touched the ground would lose their powers, so they believed.

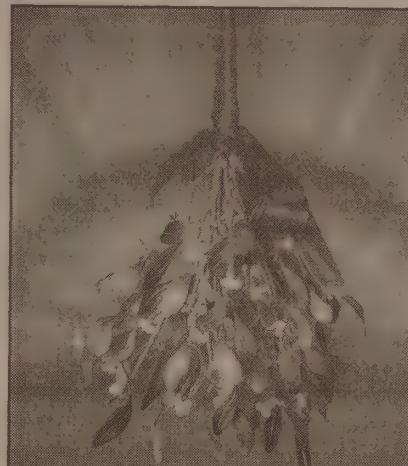
So how does their obsession with mistletoe relate to the holiday tradition? Well, it was the sacredness of the mistletoe that made Druids drop their weapons if they saw an enemy beneath it and call a

truce until morning. The Druids' use of mistletoe influenced Christians in England to ban the plant from their churches. Yet, somehow, the plant is now a tradition within the Christian holiday.

The Druid legend is not the only one from which the holiday tradition of kissing under the mistletoe may have originated. There is also the tale of the Norse god Balder and his mother Frigga, the goddess of love. When an arrow made of mistletoe killed Balder, his mother shed tears that turned into mistletoe berries as she brought him back to life. Frigga would then kiss anyone who passed under the mistletoe. From then on, it was believed that no harm would come to anyone who stood under the green plant and was kissed.

Today, there are a few variations as to how the kissing under the mistletoe tradition is practiced. Some believe that if a couple kisses under the mistletoe that it is an omen of an upcoming marriage, or a prediction of longevity and ultimate happiness. If the mistletoe was not then burned on Twelfth Night, any couples who kissed under it would not be blessed.

One custom was initiated to prevent the kissing from getting out of hand. This tradition only allows a boy to kiss a girl under the mistletoe if he picks one berry for every kiss. The kissing must then end once



all of the berries are gone. This aspect of the tradition is rarely practiced today. However, you may want to keep it in mind the next time you see Aunt Martha puckering her lips.

The evolution of the tradition of the mistletoe is interesting, and so is the plant itself. The only animals that eat mistletoe berries and survive are birds. In fact, these birds carry mistletoe seeds with them as they fly from one tree to another. This is how the mistletoe spreads throughout the forest.

Many people do not know that mistletoe is a parasite. Because of the way it kills the trees that it infests. The roots penetrate the bark of the host tree, allowing the mistletoe to feed off the water and nutrients within. The longer the parasite is attached, the quicker the tree is sapped and weakened.

Although mistletoe apparently has its negative qualities, its reputation has flourished in many cultures. The plant's history is slightly ambiguous, but we still embrace it as a holiday symbol today. So, hang your mistletoe to get a kiss, bring blessings to your house, protect your children from fairy thieves and decorate the home. Just remember to take it down when Aunt Martha is on the prowl, or remove the berries.

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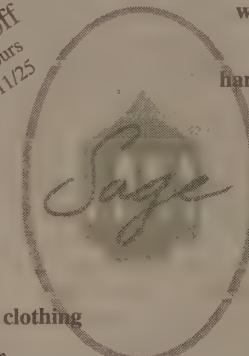
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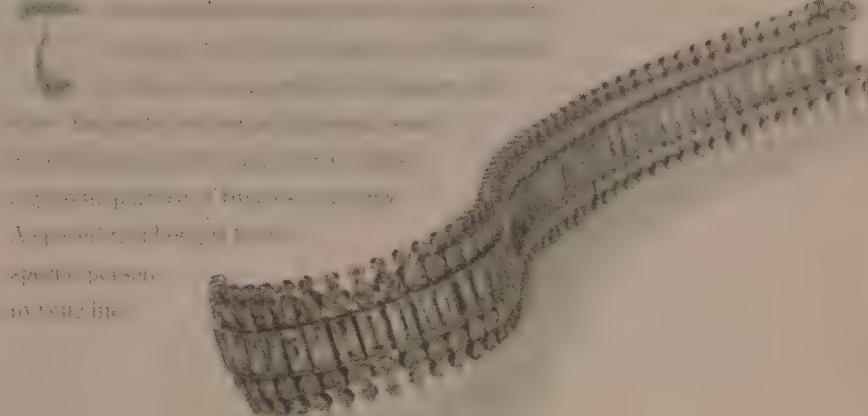
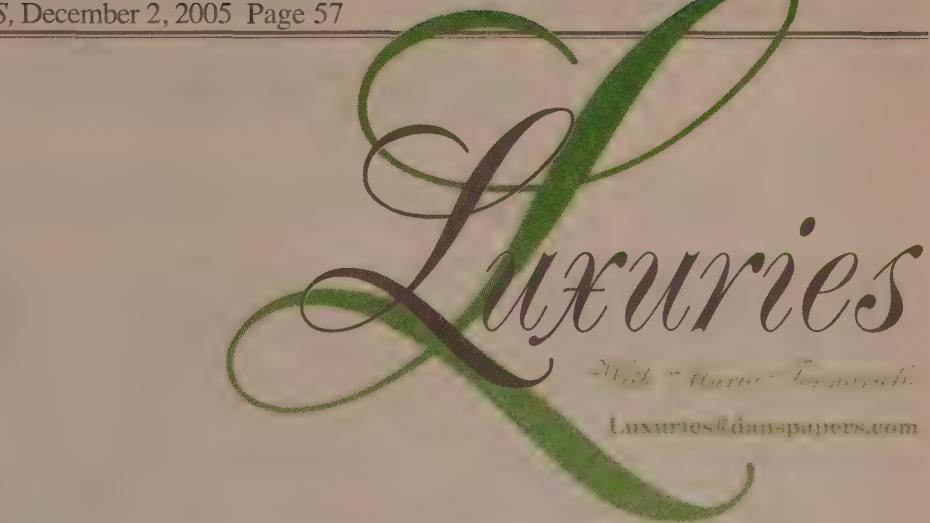
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## Eaten Out of House and Home

When we think of the holidays we cannot help but be reminded of the old fashioned taste of gingerbread. How can we help ourselves when it has such an enticing aroma and appeals to our sweet tooth?

No matter what its size or shape, gingerbread is very versatile. It can be a moist savory cake, a flat crunchy cookie, and even an extravagant candied and jeweled house.

Eating a piece of gingerbread is like taking a bite out of our ginger roots. Gingerbread's crude beginnings (a slice of bread encompassing a piece of ginger) was eaten by early Greeks to help with indigestion.

Ginger was brought back by the Crusaders in the 11th century. Not only did the root travel well, it served as a preservative in breads and pastries.

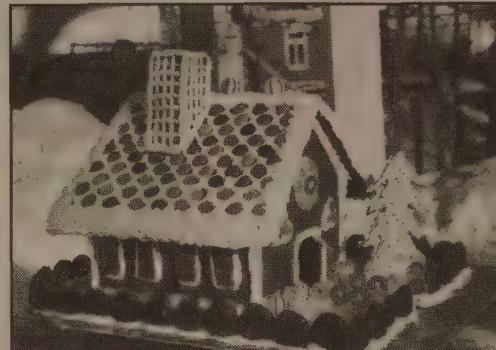
In England during Medieval times, gingerbread simply meant preserved ginger. However, the French called it gingebrais, taking its root from the Latin word, Zingebär (spice).

But it was Germany who was really the forerunner of the traditional gingerbread house. Nuremberg, Germany, is known as the gingerbread capital of the world. It is here that a guild of master bakers known as Lebkuchler was established. (French bakers of *pain d'épices* instituted their own guild in 1571). Because of the availability of local spices used in the baking of gingerbread, which gave it such a zesty flavor, Nuremberg merchants were called Pepper Sacks. The Lebkuchler were craftsman who designed lavish gingerbread houses. The structures would have wooden molds, decorated with intricate frosting and even gold paint. Lebkuchlers created Hexenhaeuse (houses with little witches in front of them). They were also known as Lebkuchenhaeuse or Knusperhaeuschen

(houses for nibbling at).

The Lebkuchler's gingerbread houses were so exquisite that they inspired the Grimm Brothers in the 19th century to write the popular fairy tale of Hansel and Gretel. So enchanted by the story, the German composer Engelbert Humperdinck wrote his famous opera, *Hansel and Gretel*, which premiered on December 23, 1893. Since this beloved opera made its debut around the holiday season, gingerbread houses fast became part of a family tradition. These houses had to have a good foundation. To achieve this the dough would have to be baked so its consistency would be firm enough to support the framework. On New Year's Day children would use mallets to smash the houses apart, which they would then quickly gobble up. Eating yourself out of a gingerbread house and home represented the start of a brand new year.

In England during the Middle Ages, young ladies used to present ornamental gingerbreads to knights before a jousting match. This custom evolved into the popular gingerbread fairs. These fairs were known as "fairings." This referred to the fact that someone would receive a gift given at or brought from a fair. The gingerbreads were usually presented in different figures to signify special times of the year, for example, birds and animals in the fall. Gingerbread pigs were sold in France during festivals given by monks at their



abbeys from the 11th to the 19th century. Additionally, if an unmarried woman ate gingerbread molded in the shape of a man, than her chances of obtaining a husband were increased. Hopefully the couple would soon be moving into a gingerbread house of their own.

Ginger was brought to America by the British. Gingerbread cut into the form of letters were used as a learning tool for children

in the early settlement of Williamsburg, Virginia.

In 1771, Virginia voters were given ginger cookies to choose candidates for the House of Burgesses. How delicious!

And speaking of houses, Americans are very big on gingerbread homes. Houses in the United States have a sugary taste as opposed to the more customary spicy European version. This depends more on the region and what local ingredients are available. For example, New England uses maple syrup while the South uses molasses. In Pennsylvania, they lean more toward the original German classics, while the Midwest prefers Scandinavian ginger cookies known as Pepparkaker or Lebkuchen.

No matter which way you slice it, you can't beat being home for the holidays as you settle down during a long winter's night and bite into your very own yummy gingerbread house.

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## How to Get a Jolly Red Nose Just Like Santa

The holidays are a time to hole yourself up in your cozy house, surrounded by loved ones, and all the necessary provisions. A staple to any holiday celebration is the right beverage, whether it be piping hot cider or tasty spiced rum. After all, the holidays are a time when all the senses are satisfied: the fluffy, soft feel of the first snowfall, the smell of pungent cinnamon, the sound of silver bells, the twinkle of Christmas lights sparkling, and the tastes of the season.

The most typical holiday beverage is eggnog. This seasonal drink can be prepared with or without alcohol. It is deep-rooted in history. It is believed that eggnog originated in England in the early 1700s. In Europe, eggnog was made with wine or port, but when it made the journey to the New World, rum replaced wine, adding a new twist. President George Washington loved to drink eggnog, and he devised his own recipe that included rye whiskey, rum and sherry. Apparently, it was a very stiff drink that only the most courageous were willing to try.

So, are you prepared to follow the path of the founding fathers? Are you brave enough to whip up a batch of frothy, festive eggnog? If so, here's a fabulous recipe to follow. This one is a bit heavy-handed on the alcohol, and if you want to reduce the rum by half, it will still make a savory treat – or eliminate the alcohol altogether. No matter how you mix it, eggnog will spice up your holiday party.

### Grandma's Swingin' Eggnog

([www.webtender.com](http://www.webtender.com))

#### Ingredients:

6 egg yolks  
1/2 cup white, granulated sugar  
2 cups milk  
2 cups light rum  
2 cups whipping cream  
Nutmeg

#### Mixing instructions:

Beat yolks until light. Add sugar and mix well. Add milk and rum. Mix well, then chill for at least 3 hours. One hour before serving, whip cream and stir into chilled mixture. Return to refrigerator for an hour. Serve in punch cups and dust with nutmeg. Serves 20.

Another traditional holiday drink whose presence has become known around the world is Glögg. It's a Scandinavian spiced wine punch, but that's not all..... Vodka or brandy may also be added to the concoction to pack a little extra punch. Glögg is a traditional holiday drink in Sweden and Finland. Glögg originated as a mulled wine, which is a hot, spicy wine. Mulled wine dates back as far as 400 AD, but Glögg came to be in the 1800s when the signature ingredients, raisins and almonds, became incorporated into the recipe. Serve gingersnaps, gingerbread, or cinnamon rolls with a warm cup of Glögg and you'll be celebrating Advent season Scandinavian style, and they truly know how to keep warm.

### Glögg

([www.webtender.com](http://www.webtender.com))

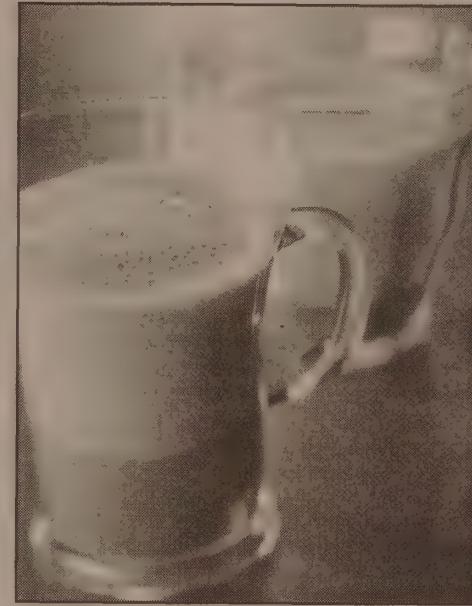
#### Ingredients:

1/2 cup golden raisins  
1/3 cup sugar  
1/4 cup blanched almonds  
12 cloves  
6 cardamom pods, bruised  
2 sticks cinnamon  
2 pieces orange peel  
1 1/3 cup water

3 cups dry Red wine  
3 cups Tawny port  
1 1/2 cup brandy

#### Mixing instructions:

Combine all the non-alcoholic ingredients in a heavy enamel or stainless steel saucepan. Bring to a boil, then simmer 5 minutes. Add the red wine and the port and bring to a boil again. Remove from heat and let steep, covered, for at least 2 hours. Then bring back to a simmer, add the brandy, and heat for 1 minute. If you want to be fancy, you can put it into a warmed metal bowl, turn down the lights and ignite it before serving. Serve in Irish coffee cups.



For those of you who would prefer to steer clear of the alcoholic beverages, or for the kids, there are some fabulous holiday recipes for spiced cider that get the warm blood pumping. Heating up the liquid releases the aromatic scents of the spices, and your whole house will be smelling like Christmas in no time. Here's a really simple recipe for a delectable treat to warm up with.

### Hot Apple Cider

([www.christmas-corner.com](http://www.christmas-corner.com))

#### Cider:

1 large bottle apple cider  
1 large bottle ginger ale

#### Spices:

3 cinnamon sticks  
15 whole cloves  
15 whole allspice  
1 oz. bag of red hots  
Sprinkle of nutmeg

#### Directions:

1. Mix 2/3 bottle of apple cider to 1/3 bottle of ginger ale.
2. Place all spices in basket of coffee maker and fill reservoir with apple cider to make 4 cups of liquid.
3. Add this liquid to cider mixture you made in step 1. The 3 cinnamon sticks can be returned to the cider mixture but discard the remainder of the spices. Taste cider mixture for flavor. Additional red hots can be added if preferred for color and spiciness.
4. Steep cider for 45 minutes to 1 hour before serving. Can be refrigerated and reheated as needed.

Or, for the ultimate in swanky holiday celebrating, after the kids and the adults have gone to bed, and it's time for the fun-loving folk to stay up and play, mix yourself a fabulous Christmas Martini. It's got the refreshing taste of peppermint with the smooth feel of a martini. Here's how:

### Christmas Martini

([www.drinksdivider.com](http://www.drinksdivider.com))

#### Ingredients:

3 oz gin  
1/2 oz dry vermouth  
1 tsp Peppermint Schnapps

#### Directions:

Pour the gin, dry vermouth and peppermint schnapps into a cocktail shaker half-filled with cracked ice. Shake well, and strain into a chilled cocktail glass. Garnish with a candy cane, and serve.

Happy holidays, and bottoms up!

—Emily J Weitz



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#### BENEFITS

**TOYS FOR TOTS** - 12/2 - At 6:30 p.m. there will be a musical program and dinner for "Angel" sponsors to benefit children affected by Hurricane Katrina at the Maidstone Arms in East Hampton. 207 Main Street in East Hampton. Call 324-5494.

**PUPPET OPERETTA** - 12/3 - There will be a performance of "Song of Sixpence" a puppet operetta. To benefit Goat on a Boat Puppet Theatre at 7:30 p.m. Parish Hall of Christ Episcopal Church, Route 114 and East Union Street, Sag Harbor. \$30. 725-4193 to reserve. 283-0774 ext. 523.

**16TH ANNUAL "LIGHTS OF LOVE"** - 12/4 - Holiday fundraiser at 5 p.m. at Ashawagh Hall Green, Springs-Fireplace Road, East Hampton. Call 324-0144.

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**HEALTH PEOPLE BENEFIT** - 12/3 - E. L. Doctorow, Helen Henslee, Nora Ephron, Nick Pileggi, Barry Sonnenfeld, Susan Ringo, April Gornik, Eric Fischl and Nicole Miller and Kim Taipale will host Special Holiday Celebration for Chris Norwood and Health People to benefit the organization helping people affected by AIDS in the South Bronx from 2- 4p.m. at the

American Hotel, Sag Harbor. \$50 donation is requested. Call 718-585-8585.

**RETREAT ANNUAL FUNDRAISER** - 12/5 - Raising funds to support their in-school violence prevention programs. Raffle tickets sold until the drawing on December 5. \$25 each or 5 for \$100. Call 329-4398.

#### FRIDAY, 2

**BAYSTREET PICTURE SHOW** - 12/2-12/3 - *Carnal Knowledge* on Friday and *The Graduate* on Saturday at 8 p.m. Located in Sag Harbor at the corner of Bay and Main Street. Call 725-9500.

**DINNER WITH THE AUTHORS** - 12/2 - Julie Andrews, Hilary Knight, Jim McMullan, Kate McMullan, Leonard Marcus, Gregory Galloway, Michael Winerip, and Tor Seidler read and sign copies of their books as part in the Morris Center's book fair. At 6 p.m. Alison Restaurant, 95 School Street, Bridgehampton. Call 537-1240.

**JOHN JERMAIN FILM** - 12/2 Fridays at the Movies, "Mr. & Mrs. Smith" screened 6:30 p.m. John Jermain Library, Main Street, Sag Harbor. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Free. 725-0049.

**NUTCRACKER** - 12/2-12/4 - The Nutcracker Ballet performed by Danse Arts at 7 p.m. at Southampton High School, Narrow Lane. Shows also on Saturday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m. General admission tickets \$10 at the Wharf Shop in Sag Harbor. Call 537-1684.

**ART SANDWICHED IN** - 12/2 - A talk at the Parrish Art Museum, 25 Job's Lane, Southampton. "International AIDS Awareness Day: Artists Respond" presented at noon. Call 283-2118 ext. 32.

**PICK OF THE WEEK**  
LITERATURE CELEBRATION 12/3 - "Books That Shape Me: A Celebration of Literature for Young People" 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. at Morris Center School. 739 Butter Lane Bridgehampton.

**THRIFT SHOP** - 12/2 - At noon is "Thrift Shop Auction & Brown Bag Lunch" with Jackie Scerbinski at Rogers Memorial Library, 91 Coopers Farm Road, Southampton. Thrift store fashion show and bidding on clothing modeled. Call 283-0774.

**ANNUAL HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE** - 12/2 - 4:30-7:30 p.m. at Century 21 Agawam Albertson. 85 Jobs Lane, Southampton. Champagne and caviar! Call 283-9200.

**LOAVES AND FISHES** - 12/2 - 6-8:30 p.m. Traditional English Christmas Dinner with Michael Vignapiano. Class held at 2266 Main St. (corner of Butter Lane and Montauk Hwy.) in Bridgehampton. Call 537-6066.

**DICKENS AND TEA** - 12/2 - Tea Party and gift sale 9 a.m.-5 p.m. along with 3 p.m. reading from Dickens' stories at the Southampton Historical Society on Meeting House Lane in Southampton.

**LIGHTHOUSE LIGHTING** - 12/2 - Pony rides and treats and a Santa visit from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Montauk Lighthouse. 668-2544. Located at 2000 Montauk Highway.

#### SATURDAY, 3

**HOLIDAY CEREMONY** - 12/3 - Holiday Light-Up Ceremony in Sag Harbor Village at 5 p.m. at the windmill on Long Wharf Carolers stroll Main Street 5 to 7 p.m. Sponsored by the Sag Harbor Chamber of Commerce. 725-0011.

**HOLIDAY FAIR** - 12/3 - St. Nicholas Day Holiday Fair at Christ Episcopal Church's Parish Hall, East Union Street at Route 114, Sag Harbor from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. 725-0128.

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her novel *The Orange Blossom Special* at BookHampton, 20 Main Street, East Hampton. 324-4939.

**LITERATURE CELEBRATION** - 12/3 - "Books That Shape Me: A Celebration of Literature for Young People" 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Morris Center School. Authors Julie Andrews, Hilary Knight, Jim McMullan, Kate McMullan, Leonard Marcus, Gregory Galloway, Michael Winerip, and Tor Seidler read and sign copies of their books. At 739 Butter Lane, Bridgehampton.

**SANTA PARADE** - 12/3 - In East Hampton Village at 10 a.m. on Main Street and Newtown Lane. Followed by Santa greeting children at the East Hampton Movie Theater. Then a holiday stroll through East Hampton Village, noon to 4 p.m. Sponsored by the East Hampton Chamber of Commerce. 324-0362.

**READING** - 12/3 - Robert Long reads from his new book *De Kooning's Bicycle*. 5 p.m. Guild Hall, 158 Main Street, East Hampton. 725-4926.

**PARADE OF LIGHTS** - 12/3 - Annual Parade of Lights and Tree Lighting at 4:30 p.m. on the streets of Southampton Village. Tree lighting at the tree in Agawam Park at 5 p.m. Followed by a reception from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Parrish Art Museum, 25 Job's Lane, Southampton. Sponsored by the Southampton Chamber of Commerce. Free. 283-0402.

**BAZAAR AND LUNCHEON** - 12/3 - at the First Presbyterian Church of Southampton, 2 South Main Street. 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. 283-1296.

**HOLIDAY FAIR** - 12/3 - Bridgehampton Association Christmas Fair 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. St. Ann's Parish Hall, Montauk Highway, Bridgehampton.

**SEAL WALK** - 12/3 - "Sighting Seals" a walk with Chris Roberts along the Seal Haul-Out Trail at Montauk State Park. at 1 p.m. Call 537-9735.

**TEA AND BAZAAR** - 12/3 - 1:30-4 p.m. at WHB Presbyterian Church Christmas Bazaar at the church on Meeting House Road. Call 653-4652.

**CHAMBER ORCHESTRA** - 12/3 - Hampton Chamber Orchestra performs at 8 p.m. Southampton Cultural Center, Pond Lane. \$16. 287-4377.

**BAY TO BAY ADVENTURE** - 12/3 - Tiana Bay to Flanders Bay a seven mile hike with Southampton Trails Preservation Society, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Meet at the parking lot of Munns County Park on Montauk Highway in Hampton Bays. 725-5861.

**YAPPY HOUR** - 12/3 - Doggy play date every Saturday 4-6 p.m. at Hamptons Hound, 2483 Montauk Highway, Bridgehampton, across from Starbucks. Call 537-7650.

**SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY HOLIDAY** - 12/3 - Runs weekends through December 18, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. hayrides, Victorian carolers, Frosty the Snowman and Magic Elf on the streets of Southampton Village. 283-0402.

**BARN CONTRA DANCE** - 12/3 - Traditional New England Style Dance at the Water Mill Community House, Montauk Highway. Introductory lesson at 7:45 p.m. followed by dancing from 8 to 11 p.m. \$10. 725-9321.

**TERRORISM EXPERT** - 12/3 - Meet David N. Kelly, former US Attorney, at The Jewish Center of the Hamptons, 44 Woods Lane in East Hampton. Call 324-1088.

**X-MAS OPEN HOUSE** - 12/3 - At the C. Whitmore Gardens, 26 Montauk Highway, Amagansett. From 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Holiday highlights and demos. Call 267-3182.

**LIVE MUSIC** - 12/3 - Music for Montauk will present "The Ladies of the Big Bands" at 7 p.m. at Montauk School, 80 South Dorset Road, Montauk. Call 230-1171.

**ESTIA CANTINA** - 12/3 - Guitar duo Elvin Long and Bob Blank will perform at 7 and 9 p.m. at 177 Main Street, Amagansett. Tickets \$10. Call 267-6320.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AND LUNCHEON** - 12/3 - Bazaar: 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Luncheon 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. \$10 adults, \$5 children under 10. At the First Presbyterian Church, 2 South Main Street, Southampton. Call 283-1296.

**WESTHAMPTON TREE LIGHTING AND MENO-RAH CEREMONY** - 12/3 - At 5:30 at the Village Green in Westhampton Beach.

### SUNDAY, 4

**HARBOR BELL CONCERT** - 12/4 - Featuring

music by the handbell choir of the First Presbyterian (Old Whalers') Church at 5 p.m. 44 Union Street, Sag Harbor. 725-0894.

**CHORAL SOCIETY OF THE HAMPTONS** - 12/4 - "Christmas in England and America," at 3 and 5:30 p.m. Bridgehampton Presbyterian Church, Main Street. Post-concert holiday reception with carol singing at the Bridgehampton Community House. 329-6342.

**PETER AND THE WOLF** - 12/4 - Profokiev's beloved musical introduction to the orchestra at 3 p.m. at Rogers Memorial Library, 91 Coopers Farm Road, Southampton. 283-0774 ext. 258 Co-sponsored by the Southampton Historical Museum.

**HIKE** - 12/4 - Elliston Park Trek with the Southampton Trails Preservation Society. 10 a.m. to noon. Meet at the park entrance on Millstone Brook Road in Southampton. 283-5376.

**TREE OF LIGHTS** - 12/4 - Lighting of a tree of memorial service hosted by East End Hospice. 2:30 p.m. outside the hospital on Meeting House Lane. 288-7080.

**CORIOLANUS** - 12/4 - Shakespeare screenings of the BBC complete series at the John Jermain Memorial Library shows "Coriolanus" at 3:30 p.m. John Jermain Library Rotunda, Main Street, Sag Harbor. 725-0049.

**MASHOMACK WINTER HIKE** - 12/4 - With the L.I. Greenbelt Trails Conference at 9:30 a.m. eight miles. Call 929-6590 to register.

**TANGO LESSONS** - 12/4 - With Mambo Loco at the Patio, 54 Main Street, Westhampton Beach. Every Sunday 6-10 p.m. Call 288-4878.

**UNITARIAN CHURCH SERVICE** - 12/4 - "Passion: John Brown, The Transcendentalist and Social and Political Change," a sermon by William Dalsimer at the Water Mill Community House on Montauk Highway in Water Mill. Call 537-3463.

**HANUKKAH BOOK FAIR** - 12/4 - At the Jewish Center of the Hamptons on weekdays 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and Sundays 9:30 a.m. through 12:30 p.m. through December 18. Located at 44 Woods Lane in East Hampton. 329-6654.

### TUESDAY, 6

**LIVE JAZZ** - 12/6 - Jody Carlson performs at Pierre's Restaurant on 2468 Main Street in Bridgehampton every Tuesday evening from 6:30-9:30 p.m. Call 537-5110.

### WEDNESDAY, 7

**LUNCHEON AND SPEAKER** - 12/7 - At noon at Saracen Restaurants in Wainscott and author Dava Sobel will speak. Call 537-6255.

**MEMORABLE DESSERT** - 12/7 - Tate's Bake Shop owner Kathleen King will be the Rogers Memorial Library's guest on Wednesday, December 7, at noon on Coopers Farm Road in Southampton. Call 283-0774.

### THURSDAY, 8

**LOAVES AND FISHES** - 12/8 - From 12-2:30 p.m. is "Easy Christmas Cookies and other Holiday gifts" with Jeanne Cuddy-Peretz. Class held at 2266 Main St. (corner of Butter Lane and Montauk Hwy.) in Bridgehampton. Call 537-6066.

**COPING THROUGH THE HOLIDAYS** - 12/8 - An East End Hospice Program at the Bridgehampton National Bank at 6 p.m. on Montauk Highway, Bridgehampton. Call 537-1000.

**TWILIGHT THURSDAY** - 12/8 - From 5 to 7:30 p.m. at Wolff Estate Vineyard there will be wine, cheese and dancing. Located at 139 Sagg Road, Sagaponack. Call 537-5106.

### ONGOING FITNESS AND YOGA EVENTS

**KICKS FITNESS** - At 9 a.m. Cathe Thompson teaches a family Hour Spin class, for which she is offering a family special half price deal. At 10 a.m. she teaches a Cardio Super Sculpt Class. Every Sunday Julia Prince leads a fitness program called "Hot Tracks, Circuit Boot Camp" at 9:30. Located at 5 Railroad Avenue in East Hampton. Call 631-324-5333.

**MARTIAL ARTS** - Adult Jujitsu class will be held at Mark Tuthill's Martial Arts Center on Mon - Thurs. at 7 p.m. and Tues and Sat at 10 a.m. Cardio Kickboxing is

Mon - Sat at 9 a.m. and Mon - Thurs at 6 p.m. at 37 Three Mile Harbor Rd. in East Hampton. Call 329-5982.

**ANANDA** - Mommy & Me class every Tuesday at 11:15 a.m. Kids class Mondays & Fridays at 4:15 p.m., Senior Class, Wednesdays at 4 p.m. 7/11, Partner Yoga. Located at 20 Hampton Road, Southampton. Call 259-8805 for more class information.

**LOTUS BLOSSOM CLASSES** - Monday/5:30, Tuesday/5:30, Wednesday/9:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m., Friday/9:30 a.m., Saturday/9 a.m., Sunday/9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Located at 328 Montauk Hwy, Wainscott. Call 537-7442.

**SAG HARBOR PILATES** - Pilates mat classes will be offered on Tuesday and Thursday at 6 p.m. with Debbie Rudoy. \$20 per class. Reservations suggested. Located in Sag Harbor. Call 725-5994.

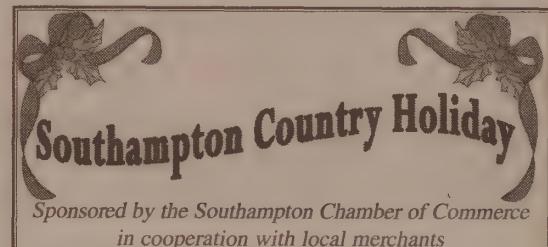
**PECONIC RIVER YOGA** - Daily classes all level. Free meditation every Tuesday 7 p.m. No experience necessary. Located at 320 Main St, Riverhead. For info. call 369-9569 or visit [www.peconicriveryoga.com](http://www.peconicriveryoga.com).

**ROSS SCHOOL YOGA** - At 5:30 - 6:30 pm the Ross School will hold a Body Sculpting: Fitness for life class. From 6:45 - 7:45 there will be a pilates Mat Class. Located at 18 Goodfriend Drive in East Hampton. Call 907-5555

**ZEBRA YOGA** - Zebra Yoga - Power vinyasa, Bikram Hot Yoga, and Pilates. Classes 7 days a week for beginner through advanced. Call 537-YOGA for latest schedule.

**SANGHA YOGA CENTER** - Kripalu Yoga classes every Tues 6pm; Wed 9am and Fri 9am. Located at 36 W. Water St, Sag Harbor across from the PO. Please call 537-6987 or 725-4995

*Email calendar requests to Dan's Events Department at or fax to 537-3330. The deadline for event listing requests is Friday at noon before the next issue.*



### Saturday, December 3

- 9:00-2:00 • "Holiday Bazaar & 11:30-1:30 Luncheon" First Presbyterian Church (\$ fee)
- 9:00-5:00 • "Special Holiday Gift Shop Preview" at The Southampton Historical Museum
- 2:00-4:00 • "Southampton Holiday Stroll" Village Streets, 283-0402
- 3:00 • "Tea & Cider Party" at The Southampton Historical Museum (\$ fee)
- 1:30-3:30 • Hayrides, Victorian Carolers
- 4:15 • "Parade Of Lights", Decorated Fire Trucks, Village Streets
- 5:00 • "Annual Tree Lighting" Agawam Park
- 5:30-7:30 • "Southampton Village Christmas Tree Lighting Reception" Santa at The Parrish Art Museum

### Sunday, December 4

- 1:30-3:30 • Winnie The Pooh & Frosty The Snowman
- 3:00 • "Peter and the Wolf", at The Rogers Memorial Library RSVP in cooperation with Southampton Historical Museum & The Southampton Cultural Center

For Further Information Call

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## Spectacular Snacks for Unexpected Guests

Two of the most stressful words in the English language are "unexpected" and "company." After all, it is not as though people maintain a constant supply of fresh cheese and crackers, replaced daily, in case someone should happen by. So, what do you do when you find out that friends are coming over and you don't have time to go shopping for snacks? Here are some ideas.

Keep cherry tomatoes in your house. Not only are they a healthful snack for you, but perfect for company. Put the tomatoes in a nice bowl, and fill a small bowl with salt. People can dip the tomatoes into the salt for a delicious, simple and unusual treat. If you want to take this to the next level, put out a third bowl with well-chilled vodka. The tomatoes are first dipped in the vodka, then the salt. By the way, this is a great hors d'oeuvre for expected company, too!

Most people have mayonnaise, soy sauce, bottled lemon juice and sugar in their house. If you buy wasabi paste (available at fine food stores), you will have all the ingredients needed for a fantastic, easy-to-make dipping sauce. Mix together 1 cup mayo with 4 teaspoons soy sauce, 1-1/2 teaspoons sugar, and 2 teaspoons each of lemon juice and wasabi paste. That's it. The dip is particularly great with asparagus, but not many people have asparagus on hand for unexpected visitors, so you can

also serve the dip with your cherry tomatoes, carrots or celery – all good vegetables to keep in your refrigerator for snacks anyway.

If you want to be able to offer a tasty snack more appropriate for – let's be honest, here – guys, there are lots of options. Keep an unopened box of Chex Party Mix in your pantry. When company comes, put it in a bowl, and voilà, you have a snack. You can also keep an unopened can of mixed nuts – perfect munchies, at least for people who are not allergic. Other items that will stay fresh in your pantry for quite a while if they are not opened include quality potato chips (such as Cape Cod) and dried wasabi peas. Just check the expiration date before you serve any of these items, and remember to replace the items if they have been unused for too long.

If you want to serve something a bit more substantial, you can keep prepared, packaged foods in your freezer, and heat them up in the oven or microwave when company arrives. Many people love pigs-in-a-blanket – what a

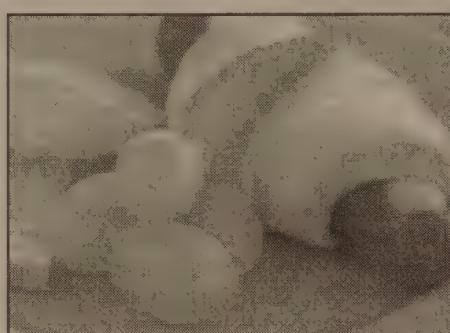


guilty pleasure! You can also buy bite-sized pizzas, egg rolls, boneless chicken wings, potato skins, breaded mushrooms, and all sorts of other goodies. And, for those guests with a sweet tooth, you can keep one of those frozen cookie dough rolls and bake up a bunch of cookies just before your guests arrive – that is, if you (unlike me) can avoid the temptation to eat the dough raw out of the freezer.

Of course, whatever snack foods you decided to keep on hand, it is also a good idea to have a selection of drinks in your house, including soda (regular and diet), sparkling water, coffee, tea and light beer. It is nice to be able to offer wine, as well. You can ask someone at your wine store to recommend a quality but inexpensive wine to serve company; there are lots of good-tasting wines that you can be proud to offer your guests, who will have no idea how little you paid.

With these snacks and drinks in your house, you will never have to worry about what to do when unexpected company arrives. But beware: once your friends learn that you reliably offer good snacks to your guests, you may find that people drop by unexpectedly so often that you will start to expect it.

—David Stoll



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## Shop 'til You Drop... With Maria Tennariello

If you have stuffed yourself with holiday turkey with all the trimmings, now is the time to walk off those extra calories by holiday shopping.

In Westhampton Beach at 32 Mill Road, there is a new diamond in the rough called the **Unique Boutique** located at the offices of Hamptons Skin Care and Hair Removal. After you finish your facial, you can browse through the boutique's new and exciting assortment of clothing, accessories and gifts just in time for the holidays. Hamptons Skin Care is now offering "crystal-free" microdermabrasion treatments featuring DiamondTome wands. There will be a holiday gathering with refreshments on Thursday, December 8 from 7 to 9 p.m. and every one is welcomed. Call them at 631-288-1017 for information.

Don't miss the "Special Holiday Shopping" at **Shock** at 115 Main Street in Westhampton Beach for all your holiday shopping favorites. Shock is offering a special guys night out for all the guys to shop for the lady in their lives by offering special extended hours on Friday and Saturday evenings from 6 to 9 p.m. through the entire month of December. Look for special store discounts and enjoy refreshments. For the ladies, check out the unique gift items including jewelry, accessories, perfumes, shawls, clothing, boots and gift certificates. They are open seven days from 11 to 6 p.m., Friday and Saturday 'til 9.

At Sassafras, 32 Montauk Highway in Hampton Bays you will find a "Holiday Storewide Sale" saving you from 20% to 70% off on everything in the store. Pay special attention to cashmere sweaters, jackets and sparkle tops for the holiday...

On Main Street in Southampton at **Dansk**, there is a special "Closing Sale" happening right now with 50% off most of the merchandise. Look for a store full to the rafters with holiday savings for all the hosts and hostesses on your holiday shopping list. You will find beautiful Lenox pieces here that will put a smile on everyone's face.....

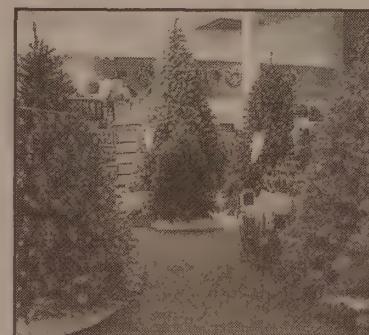
Don't pass this little hidden treasure sitting pretty on Hampton Road in Southampton, **The Little Frame Shoppe**! Owner and master framer Richard LeCause is ready to frame your family treasure just in time for the holidays. All decked out, dressed and ready to go the front of the shop is filled with holiday ornaments, wreaths, large decorative stars and comfy country gifts for everyone.

**Aimee's Closet** on Main Street in Bridgehampton kicks off this holiday season with 40% off all "Jewelry Sale" from now until December 12. Aimee's Closet, on the East End since 1983, has a wide selection of beautiful sterling silver and costume jewelry from around the world, especially India and Bali. There is also a

large selection of this year's latest and unique clothing fashions. Your holiday purchases are wrapped free and you can have them shipped upon request. The shop is open every day from 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. This little hidden treasure is a must-stop-shop, especially for holiday gift giving.

A fun thing to do this weekend is to stop in at **C. Whitmore Garden's** kick off the season event on Montauk Highway in Amagansett for a "Christmas Open House and Sale" on Saturday, December 3, from 9 to 5 p.m. The highlights include wreath making and other demos, gift idea displays, family activities and refreshments from the **Art of Eating**. There will be special giveaways too! The new Whitmore floral design team will be on hand to speak and show you samples of their holiday arrangements. They will also debut their special selection of designer Christmas trees that are available in limited quantities only. Described as the "perfect tree" they have been featured on the "Today Show," *The New York Times* and *USA Today*, and Whitmore Gardens has them exclusively.

At **Treasure Island** in the Wainscott Village Center on Montauk Highway, you will find a "Holiday



At Treasure Island

Sale" with savings of 20% off on all wreaths and wreath hangers, garland, ribbon, bows, Christmas cards and Lemax snowhouses. The special holiday trees are also available at discount prices.

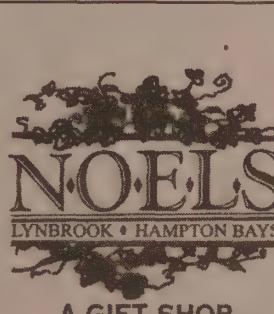
At **Gurney's Inn** on Montauk Highway in Montauk at the Spa and Salon you will find some great gift ideas that include the "Spa Coupon Books," on sale with substantial savings until December 23. There are four different spa packages available. For

information and appointments, call the Spa Consultants at 631-668-1892. Of course, gift certificates are available.

**On The North Fork:** At the **Peconic Paddler** on Peconic Avenue in Riverhead, there is a special "Going-Out-Of-Business Sale" from December 2 through December 11. Everything must go so the discounts are enormous. There is everything you need here for the paddlers on your holiday list.

Until next week. Ciao and happy holiday shopping.....

If you have any questions or comments, or your shop is having a sale, I would love to know about it. E-mail me at or by fax at: 631-537-6755.



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## Expanding Your Holiday Real Estate Portfolio

Everyone can be a real estate mogul around the holidays. Don't worry about the moratoriums, the DEC or the Town Planning Board because none of them can stop you from building the village of your dreams. The only people with any control over your development are the ones who live with you. Setting up ceramic Christmas villages has become as much a part of the holidays as stringing up lights, and although there are several companies who produce ceramic villages, it would be easy to say Department 56 is the company that shaped the industry.

Starting in 1976 with only a series of six ceramic-lighted buildings, Department 56 has grown tremendously over the past 28 years. It now boasts over 11 collections including Elf Land, The North Pole, and the Dickens' Village. Their influence on the ceramic real estate market boom of the past few years is a testament to their creativity and quality, not to mention the public's desire to build a winter wonderland of their very own.

For diehard collectors, every village has its own distinct charm and mixing is generally frowned upon. In other words, one should never combine the buildings in the City Series with the Dickens' Village Series or allow other such anomalies to occur. For the average collector who is shopping individually for houses and businesses that catch their eye, the combination of several series can create an interesting and eclectic town feeling.

The age-old saying "Rome wasn't built in a day" also applies to Christmas villages. The creation of the perfect personal village takes years. The annual introduction of new houses and stores allows the town to grow, until you either run out of room or buy a bigger house

(I'd suggest a bigger house). Normally, it is gradual expansion and, although it is possible to buy every single building in a specific village at one time, the average collector enjoys the process of collecting little by little.

To get started, all you need is a house/store and a bit of creativity. By visiting a reputable dealer like the Wharf Shop on Main Street in Sag Harbor, you can get the opportunity to examine many of the choices available. You should decide where you would like to begin. Many choose the Dickens' Village Series because of its figurines: The Ghosts of Christmas Past, Present, and Future are all accessories to this series, but in the end it is really up to you. Once you have decided on a building, whether it be a home, church, or store, find a flat area close to an electrical outlet to place it. Deep bookshelves work well with individual pieces, as do small tables, desktops, and, of course, the mantel.

Don't wait until you own a whole town block before you start thinking about landscaping. A few trees or a stonewall work well to create a feeling of authenticity, but nothing helps to add character to a village like people. And of course, what would a Christmas village be without snow? Cotton works well, but for those who would like a more intense version, there is a line of artificial snow products that gives a more genuine look.

Photo by Christian McLean



Personally, I enjoy incorporating colored lights to add additional character to the town. By changing the light bulbs inside the buildings you can create dramatic effects. Blue works quite well for churches, while orange provides a warm glow from houses, flickering bulbs give the illusion of a

roaring fire and blinking bulbs work perfectly for lighthouses, but be careful about where you add red lights, you don't want Tiny Tim walking around in the red light district - My heavens; think of his Victorian sensibilities!

Once you've started your village, with such a wide variety of accessories, people, and buildings (including lighthouses, wharfs, and alpine chalets), it will be hard to curb your desire to continue accumulating pieces until every flat surface holds a miniature church, ice skating rink, or pub. But if it seems like setting up your village for Christmas, only to dismantle and store it in your basement for the next 11 months seems like a bit too much work, you're in luck. In 1998, Department 56 created a year round village, including seasonal pieces capturing the essence of autumn. In addition, they have also recently introduced a summer resort community, making it possible for your village to thrive well after the snow has melted, giving them a chance to summer in the Hamptons just like everyone else.

-Christian McLean



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# HOLIDAY GUIDE

## Gimme Some Sugar(cookies)

"You know Dasher and Dancer and Prancer and Vixen, Comet and Cupid and Donner and Blitzen...but do you recall the most famous Reindeer of all?" These are the words are practically heard on every easy listening radio station right now along with "White Christmas" and Adam Sandler's "Hanukkah Song." Yes, the holidays are fast approaching. How goes the shopping? Did Black Friday do you in, or are you eager for more?

As your feet pound the mall pavement and your fingers do a little dancing while shopping on-line, take a break. Breathe in, breathe out. Relax. It will soon be over! Faster than you ever anticipated. So take the time to smell the coffee and bake a few dozen delicious cookies. Invite some friends over and reminisce about holidays past and present. Better yet, do a cookie swap. Each of you makes a dozen delicious holiday cookies and swaps them. You'll end up with a cookie feast that will have Santa jumping for joy and the elves asking for more.

First things first, you need to bake your cookies. Here's a simple sugar cookie recipe to follow in a pinch.

1 cup shortening  
1 1/2 cup sugar  
2 eggs  
2 3/4 cup flour  
2 tsp. soda  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. vanilla

Cream the first two ingredients well. Beat in eggs and vanilla; add soda and salt. Mix well. Blend in flour. Pinch out a small amount of dough and roll in sugar. Bake at 400 degrees for 15 minutes. (Courtesy of Cooking.com)



If you want to jazz up your cookies and make them festive, here are a few fun and simple suggestions. Before baking the dough, divide it into sections, use a holiday cookie cutter to cut out a shape (Santa, Rudolph, Dreidel etc.) then take a knife and cut out a few small square windows on your shape. Add a few colored lifesavers to the empty spots and bake. The cookies will come out with a sort of stained glass effect from the melted lifesavers. Another fun cookie tip: dip your sugar cookie in melted chocolate. You can purchase green, red and blue chocolate this time of year. Melt over a low flame preferably in a double boiler and dip or drizzle the chocolate onto the cookie. The cookies look festive and taste absolutely delicious.

If you are creative and want to whip up some fun and festive frostings, here's an easy frosting recipe to

use: Combine a 1/2 a box Confectioner's Sugar with 1 Tablespoon egg white powder with 5 Tablespoons of water. Mix well with a low speed mixer then increase the speed as it thickens. You may have to add a little more water depending on the consistency that you desire. Subdivide frosting into different bowls and add food coloring in various shades. It's a lot of fun painting the frosting onto the cookies. Decorate the cookies with non pareils and gumdrops.

I used to admire cookies with the sort of 3-D look to them. It's easy to do; layer dough in small segments on the desired part of the cookie. Say you are looking to make Rudolph's nose bigger and shinier than ever. Make a round ball of dough, add a tint of red food coloring and press it onto the spot. Seal it with a bit of egg white for a shiny effect after it's baked. The Rudolph cookie will have a nose so bright that it will guide that sleigh tonight!

Melted marshmallow is a fun and slightly messy

cooking medium to use to decorate your cookies. They sell jars of it in the baking aisle or you can do it yourself by slowly cooking marshmallows over low heat. Again, you can add food color for effect or you can simply drizzle the marshmallow onto your cookies. Sprinkle with holiday sprinkles and you have a tasty, sweet treat.

Powdered sugar looks beautiful when carefully sprinkled over cookies shaped like stars, or on Gingerbread Men decorated with frosting and gum drops. The sugar can be used to make a lacy effect when you use a paper doily as a stencil. Place the doily over the cookie and gently sprinkle the sugar. Carefully remove the doily and the cookies will have an old fashioned snowy white lace look.

There's nothing quite like baking fresh cookies during the holidays to make you feel more festive and bright and make your home smell delicious. Enjoy!

—Jessica Gold

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# HEALTH, BEAUTY & FITNESS

## He Who Casts Last

The tiny fish moves silently through the water, propelling itself with short bursts from its agile tail. The turbid ocean currents and sweeping tides prove to be no challenge for the mobility of this elusive creature. Its olfactory senses pick up the smell of blood. In the dark water, its eyes adjust and fixate on the shiny scales of its prey. It darts toward the floating luster (attached to a transparent monofilament line) with its mouth wide open and bites down.

You stand in waders, waist deep in water and feel the tug of your line. You instinctively jerk the fishing rod towards the sky. Hooked! The fish thrashes about in all directions yet its resistance is futile. After an arduous struggle, you reel in your catch. Attached to your line is a keeper. This is a victory in an archaic activity that once aided man's survival rather than fulfilling his recreational desires. You have caught the most coveted fish inhabiting the waters off Long Island, a striped bass, a *Morone saxatilis* or if you're into that whole brevity thing: a stripers, a linesider, a roller, a squidhounds, or a greenhand.

This brief fictional fishing tale, this choose-your-own-adventure, won't mention anything about the hours of waiting (and wading!) in frigid waters, standing exposed to blasts of wind that weather your ruddy cheeks raw and cause your eyes to tear. It doesn't mention the hours spent in desperation for a bite, or the feelings of disappointment after a fishless day or night. It also doesn't mention the reason why we fish— to challenge ourselves, to get away, to relax.

Fishing is not a seasonal sport and can be done

Photo by David L. Rattiner



all year round—but keep in mind there is no guarantee that you'll catch anything. The ideal season for surfcasting lasts from the beginning of spring to the end of autumn, approximately May to

December, the most ample time being from August to October. But the season is only dictated by where the fish will be. On Long Island, there are three major regions where surfcasting is prevalent. These areas are the north shore, the south shore, and Montauk. Each region is unique for its geography, the type of water body it's situated on, and direction in relevance to wind, current, and tide.

The north shore is situated on the Long Island Sound, which has an abundance of bass and relatively mild wave conditions. Harbors are etched into the north shore and bestow quiet eddies where fish can meander and feed. These areas provide marshlands and calm waters that yield loads of baitfish and bass.

The south shore consists of the sandy, dune-laden, oceanfront beaches that span the underbelly of Long Island, which as a landmass topographically resembles an enormous fish. There are back bays with high grasses to the north of these barrier beaches, namely Shinnecock Bay.

Montauk seems to be a place that resembles Mecca in more ways than one. Not only are the waves at Ditch Plains the prime destination for Long Island surfers, the rocky shorelines of "The End" are also a surfcaster's dream. There are locations for calm-water fishing in back water places such as Napeague Bay. Spots exist in the all the nooks, crannies, and cliffs of Montauk yielding great surfcasting for any tide and any wind direction.

With these spots in mind, all you'll need to do is purchase a rod ranging from 6-8 feet in length,

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## Skin deep with Samantha Altea

### Makeover Mondays

I've had a bit of a grim few months. I've been sick, I've been stressed; I've been a mess. Now, as temperatures plummet, you also feel like nothing seems right with the world? At least that's how we all feel *at times*, on a cold Monday morning route to, perhaps a job we don't love, or a chore we've been putting off. Right? You take a quick look at yourself in your car mirror and yuk, your skin looks sallow and pasty, it seems like every day of late has been a bad hair day. You've got roots showing, frizz flowing and the style you had during the hazy days of summer is non-existent. Even your mascara has smudged. Then you look down and see that your nails look as if they've been immersed in water for a week with chipped, or no polish at all. Or worse. Hang nail!

After a day, a week, or even a month of manic Mondays, even if it is a Tuesday, there's simply only one thing to do: Make a date for a make-over, or even a make-back to who you once were. It won't cure all the wrongs, but trust me, you'll look and feel much better when dealing with them and that can make a world of difference.

I'd had a heck of a week and so I walked into my hairdressers and said help. With a capital H. My highlights had grown out and I needed a good 3 inches off my ends. You know how that is. I settled into the chair and instantly felt myself relax. My hairdresser, whom I love and trust, was delighted to see me and the two of us eased in to a comfortable chin wagging. She offered me a beverage, and though I declined the wine, it felt good to be pampered as I sipped on my bubbling glass of water served in a wine glass. Nice. Mala, hairdresser extraordinaire, offered me a magazine as she foiled my hair, spinning gold through it like an artist. After reading silly, wonderful gossip and nonsense, I felt myself being transported to a better place. Being placed under a warm cozy lamp to "cook" helped even more. Before too long I was shampooed. The wonderful thing about my salon is that they give you a head massage when they shampoo. Bliss. By the time I'd had a trim and blow dry, I was walking on air. But that wasn't enough. I

headed over to my closest department store and asked for a make-up make-over. It's an inexpensive way to have your make-up applied. I tried new lipstick tones and shadow colors and let myself just be as the artist applied the make-up with soft brushes in a sweet manner. I even treated myself to a new lipstick. When she was done, I took a look at myself in the mirror and almost didn't recognize what I saw. With gorgeous new hair and make-up that accentuated my assets, I was back to myself again. I was back home again, at least for today. But there was

one last thing to do. I headed to get a mani and pedi. The girls in the salon soothed and smoothed my hands and feet. Before I knew it, I could sign a check without feeling like a schlep.

At the end of the day, I walked home with my head higher and my spirits raised— All of my worries and woes vanished for a while. It's amazing what looking good on the outside can do for the inside.

So as we approach the holidays, give yourself a gift, a make-over Monday, and see how looking good can affect how you feel.

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# Dan's HOME

## The Garden At Rock Cottage by Lance Brilliantine

### Winter Whites

The last, clinging oak leaves have now fallen, spring bulbs have been planted, and many trees and shrubs at Rock Cottage have been pruned in anticipation of a spring that is not so very far off.

At this time of year, one of the plants that can brighten a room – and also help a gardener make it through the winter – is the paperwhite. This plant appears in nurseries at this time of year and is a welcome home addition because of its lovely white or yellow blossoms and enchanting fragrance.

Paperwhites are a type of *Narcissus* – a member of the Amaryllis plant family. The technical name is *Narcissus tazetta papyraceous*. These plants are a popular bulb for forcing. The word *Narcissus* comes from the Greek word "narke" which means "numbness" or "stupor," and probably refers to the flower's intoxicating fragrance. It may also be associated with the fact the bulbs are poisonous. Most *Narcissus* species are natives to southern France, Spain, and the surrounding Mediterranean. They are sensitive to frost, and only hardy to about Zone 7. They thrive in areas where the roots are consistently wet. Research shows many *Narcissus* species have been cultivated for hundreds, even thousands, of years.

Paperwhites are probably the easiest bulbs to force, and bloom in four weeks-to-seven weeks after they are planted. Typically, stock is readily available in October. Once purchased, store them in a cool area of the basement, and plant a few bulbs each week, sequentially over a month or so, to have flowers throughout winter. Each bulb produces several, flower-bearing stems. The flowers are strongly scented,

so just a few bulbs provide a succession of flowers and scent.

When purchasing bulbs, select only bulbs that are free from scars, blemishes, and bruises. This reduces the possibility of purchasing bulbs with basal rot caused by a disease named *Fusarium*. It infects the plates of the bulb and results in a mushy brown decay. Discard any bulbs that seem to be so tainted.

To force bulbs, fill a pot, or bulb pan with one or two inches of potting soil or stones. Position bulbs so they nearly touch each other with pointed ends up. Add enough potting soil, moss, or colored glass marbles so the top half of the bulbs remain exposed. Water well (no fertilizer is necessary).

We prefer to plant the bulbs in glass dishes with small rocks and water so we can watch the roots grow at the bottom of the dish before the bulbs flower. For success, you must be sure to keep the bulbs consistently wet throughout the duration of their bloom so the roots do not dry out.

Place pots in a bright, cool room with strong light until the shoots are one to two inches tall. Then move the pots to a warmer location. Bulbs started in a location with inadequate light, or that is too warm, tend to produce leggy leaves and blooms that have a tendency to flop over. So, it is a good idea to stake the plants as they grow larger than four or five inches tall.

Some of the most popular varieties to look for

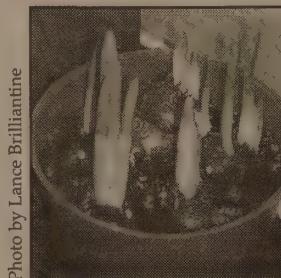


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include: "Ziva," a variety with trusses of beautiful, fragrant bright white flowers; "Omri," with many white florets on multiple stems and bright white centers; "Soleil d'Or," a bulb that is delicately scented and produces yellow blossoms; "Nony," with white flowers and pale yellow cups; and "Grand Primo," a late variety that produces clusters of powerfully scented, creamy-white blossoms.

Paperwhites are sensitive to Northeast frost, so many people discard the bulbs once they have bloomed. At Rock Cottage, we have had luck transplanting the bulbs once after they have been forced. If you want to transplant them, give them some fertilizer once they have bloomed and cut any seed pods away. Let the leaves yellow on their own and store until spring. Plant the bulbs after danger of frost to a depth of eight inches. In a year or so, they will produce flowers – provided they are heavily mulched in winter.

If you don't want to go through the process of forcing bulbs yourself, many of the local flower shops and nurseries in East Hampton have well-grown paperwhites available during the Holiday season.

Paperwhites are a welcome reminder spring is not far off, even in the darkness of December. Their intoxicating scent and bright flowers fill a room with the reminder of spring. This is a highly recommended bulb for the winter season.

You can contact Lance Brilliantine with any questions or comments at [GardenLance@yahoo.com](mailto:GardenLance@yahoo.com).

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# Real Estates

by Diane Strecker

It seems the value of East End estates has become nearly immeasurable. The increase to property values and what they have sold for here in the past few years has been staggering. This is because the various estate sections in each one of the Hamptons claims their own set of geographic attributes and social benefits continue to be sought after, regardless of the state of the real estate markets transitions. Where in Montauk, Eothen, former celebrity enclave to Andy Warhol & friends, better known as the Church Estate, listed at \$45 million. It offers the seclusion of the Moorlands backed by hundreds of acres of preserve or one can choose the long stretch of white sand on Old Montauk Highway's gold coast that draws beachgoers from just about everywhere.

Southampton boasts what seems like endless stretches of manicured oceanfront estates and mansions on sizable parcels running along the prestigious areas of Gin & Meadow Lane. On Meadow Lane where size apparently has no limit, New York financier Jay Sugarman continues to build his 20,000 sq ft modernist home on the ocean that will house three structures including the main house, a guest house and a pool house, regardless of the controversy surrounding it.

In Bridgehampton, there is Three Ponds Farm that is valued at approximately \$70 million. It has, you guessed it, has three ponds spread out among its 60 acres of rolling farmland. This compound's countless amenities make it one of the most unique properties on the East End. It has an 18 hole golf course, 14 formal gardens, a 75' flush-edge pool, a grass tennis court, pool house, guest house, fish house, pro shop, barns, and silos.

In East Hampton, Adelaide de Menil's much

Photo by Diane Strecker



Jay Sugarman's Oceanfront Estate

talked about oceanfront estate on Further Lane is now said to be valued at and possibly sold at \$105 million. The other often-spoken-about property is the 18,000 sq ft Georgica Pond beauty, on 40-plus acres, designed by Francis Fleetwood called Burnt Point that sold last year at \$45 million. Burnt Point has a private dock, pool, pool house, and two barns spread over its acreage. The geographic make up of the land mass which surrounds this vast pond resembles that of a hand and five finger-like peninsulas that make for the kind of privacy sought after by a bevy of celebrities such as director Steven Spielberg, domestic diva Martha Stewart and ex-spouse of a fashion icon, Kelly Klein, just to name a very few.

Water Mill boasts the landmark Villa Maria with its 23 bedrooms, 13 baths, 5 fireplaces, a

ballroom, 3 guest houses and its own chapel on 15 waterfront acres that was sold after a bidding frenzy, for \$35 million just this past year.

In North Haven, another historic mansion, Maycroft that listed at \$25 million and sold at \$20 million is not only being renovated and restored to its original grandeur but has been rotated to obtain more appealing water views.

One of the most impressive pieces of real estate on the East End goes unrivaled is that of our Gardiner's Island, the largest privately owned Island in North America, spanning more than 3000 acres that cover approximately 5 square miles. The island has been in the Gardiner family for generations dating back as far as 1639 when it was said to be obtained via a trade with the Native Americans for sundries such as gun powder, blankets and a dog. The island is virtually invaluable considering not only its locale set between the two forks, but its historic significance as well. The beauty of this pristine island is that it remains much as it did hundreds of years ago. It was inherited by Alexandra Creel Goulet last year when her uncle, Robert David Lion Gardiner, the Lord of the Manor, passed away. The rumor of the island's possible development has yet to come to fruition and the fate of the East End jewel remains only speculation.

The Hamptons are home to some of the largest, most beautiful and most valuable properties in the country. The uniqueness of some of the estates here could rival that of any from Beverly Hills to Palm Beach. And despite the uncertainties that seem to be looming of late around in the real estate world, what continues to reverberate here is; if you build it, restore it or preserve it, they will come.

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## Surfcaster

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some 4-6 oz. sinkers, and a 20 lb. test line that will help you snatch that Guinness Book of World Record's fish; the one that is over five feet in length and weighs 100+ lbs. Don't think this is impossible, considering what the previous world record striped bass was once held by an East End captain named Bob Rochetta, before the title was seized by a New Jersey fisherman in 1982, the bass being 53 inches in length and weighing in at 78 lbs. and 8 oz.

The beaches we are surrounded by provide a fertile ground for the ancient art of surfcasting. The striped bass is out there waiting for you to take a gamble. Knowing where to go is only half the battle when fishing. You can perfect your casting techniques and equipment selection by consulting an expert, or a fishing guide. Drop by any local bait shop or even check out the website of New York State licensed guide Bill Wetzel at [www.longislandsurffishing.com](http://www.longislandsurffishing.com). If you're interested in literature, read the nonfiction fishing story, *Night Tides*, by Michael Cinquemani. These sources will motivate you to strap on some waders and cast out into the blue, all in hopes of bringing the striped trophy back to our island.

-Breck Archer

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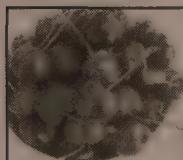
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# Letters

## FREEDOM OF RELIGION

Dear Dan,

Your comment to my letter (your comment "Can't We All Just Get Along") is without substance. You cannot show where the Church systematically purchases property in residential areas and converts the property to a church or a religious school, as the Hasidic community is guilty of.

As I predicted in my previous letter Chabad in Southampton is now attempting to purchase the adjacent property to add to their religious program and try to comply with some of the zoning requirements.

Sal Rinaldi  
Sag Harbor  
Via E-mail

*I believe you can operate any residential property as a church if you comply with the zoning requirements.*  
- DR

## PAVE THE WAY

Dear Dan,

Are "they" trying to make us look like downtown Riverhead? Could this be any uglier, replete with fake red bricks? For the one or two weeks during the Hampton Classic (the only possible time of year one could even imagine the need for any assistance at the intersection of Scuttlehole Road and Mitchell Lane) a cop or two would have been a kinder, gentler way of handling the situation. This is a colossal waste of taxpayers' money, and a major inconvenience while under construction...when can we start procedures to rip it down?

Debra Simon  
Via E-mail

*Stand clear of the thundering hordes.* - DR

## Have Fun in Prison

Tristan Macleod goes by a variety of aliases. Simon Macleod, Stephen Cookman, and Mark Prew are all pretty average sounding names. But the thing about Tristan is that he's not afraid to transcend ethnicities. He can go by Nico Carabetta and Nico Gambino, or even his most impressive aliases, Raven Macleod and Raven Thunderhawk. Whatever identity this guy chooses to manipulate, Tristan Macleod is the animal who has been caught. Tristan Macleod is the caretaker who robbed an elderly North Haven couple of \$58,000 over the course of several months. Last Thursday, NYPD officers finally brought this man to justice at a retail store in Manhattan called "Get 'Em." His plan had apparently been to milk people of funds

## NEW CONSTRUCTION?

Dear Dan,

It was with great pleasure that I read your paper at my daughter's office recently. She had lived in Sag Harbor several years ago (her name was then Shelby Clark), and is now manager of the Chester, New Jersey Weichert office. An employee who recently visited Long Island brought *Dan's Papers* home.

It was with considerable regret, however, that I read the article about the condominiums being built on Water Street. I have always remembered Sag Harbor as a town that had quiet surroundings, which provided an ideal setting for country living. My former boss, Ed Conti, president of an ad agency in New York and New Jersey, had a house there and involved me in many of the activities that took place during the summer.

Your paper is wonderful and is a great addition to the area. I wish you the best now and in the future.

Phyllis W. Reinauer  
Bridgewater, New Jersey

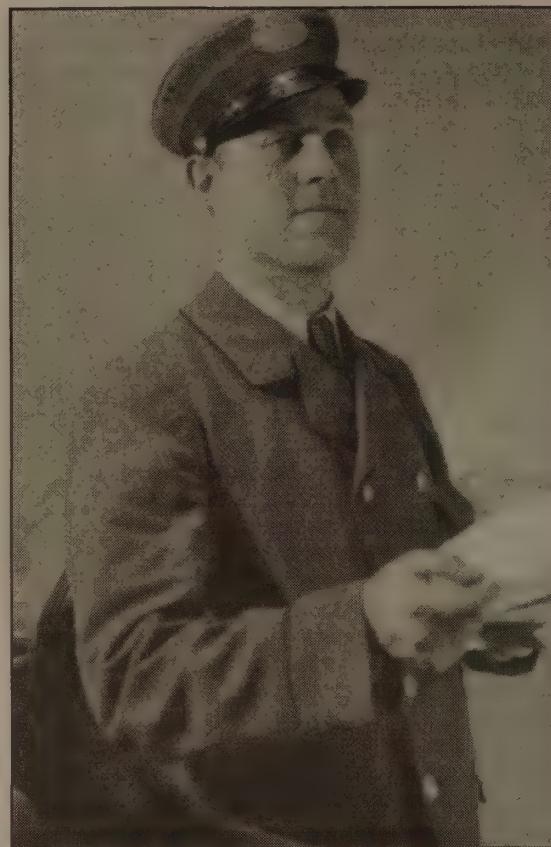
*I don't know anything about this.* - DR

## HIFF SPEAKS

Dear Dan,

On behalf of The Hamptons International Film Festival, I would like to extend our sincere gratitude to *Dan's Papers* and to you personally for your generosity in supporting our 13th event.

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We hope that you enjoyed the Festival and will continue to be involved in our efforts to support independent filmmakers and engage audiences.

Stephanie Saylor  
Festival Manager  
The Hamptons International Film Festival

*Cut!* - DR

# Police Blotter

through fraud and forgery, and then buy expensive electronic devices and sell them on the street for dirt-cheap prices. This thief had apparently been running scams all over the country, from Virginia and Washington, to Nebraska and South Dakota. Now he has a new home in Riverhead at the Suffolk County Jail. Good riddance!

\* \* \*

## Clean Getaway

A Hampton Bays man was deceptively relieved of \$20 and a credit card while he was shampooing, conditioning, lathering, rinsing, and repeating on October 11. The money and personals were taken out of his wallet while he was bathing in the shower. "Rubadubdub, I got robbed in the tub!" is believed to be the comment given by the victim after the theft. Why would he say that? It's just ridiculous.

\* \* \*

## Walker Bush

Street signs, construction barrels, and two juniper bushes were all stolen from a construction site in Bridgehampton on November 14. The location of the site was on the corner of Scuttle Hole Road and Mitchell Lane. It is believed that the culprits camouflaged themselves in the juniper bushes and stole the rest of the equipment, although there were no reports or sightings of any juniper bushes running around with construction barrels and street signs. It's just a theory, for crying out loud.

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## Batman?

Village Police in Sag Harbor arrested a 24-year-old man at 3 a.m. on November 26. The man was

apparently asked to leave by employees of the Cigar Bar. He belligerently resisted arrest and was taken down as soon as he sunk his teeth into an officer. He also punched a hole in the wall at the police station and became violent with officers there. It is reported that he was maced by officers, but I believe they must have used garlic spray. This guy was obviously a vampire, just read the signs: he was active between dusk and dawn, violent, and craved a bite of human flesh. This guy was blood-thirsty! Although there is no evidence, it is believed that the nocturnal nuisance will be shipped back to Transylvania in a coffin.

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## Give a Little Love

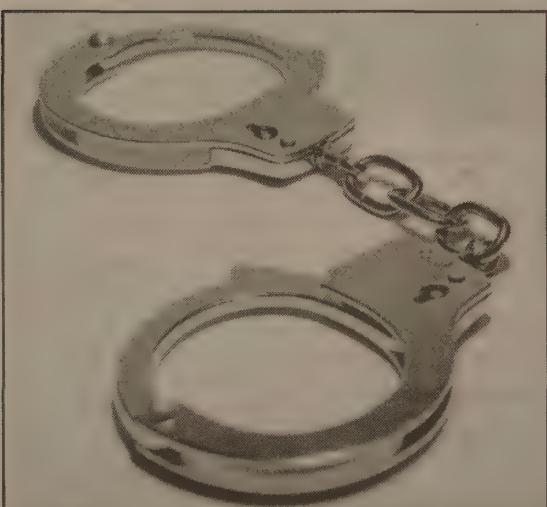
A man in Amagansett called police during an argument with another man on November 15 and claimed that the dispute has been going on for 5 years. Get over it already! Have they been just standing there, face to face, bickering for the past five years? Someone should either throw a punch or apologize, because this is going nowhere.

\* \* \*

## Unwanted Company

A homeowner in East Hampton went downstairs to make some breakfast on Sunday morning and found a stranger sleeping in a downstairs bedroom. 'Who is this man? I don't know him.' thought the homeowner. The man decided to call police. When police arrived at the scene, the trespasser gave a viable excuse. He told the authorities that he couldn't remember how he wound up in the house, "due to his intoxication." Hey, I could buy that one. We've all been there...I think?

*- Written and compiled by Breck Archer*





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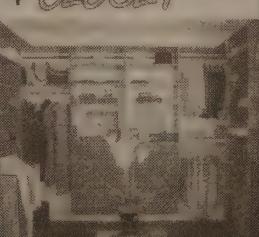
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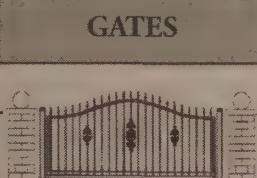
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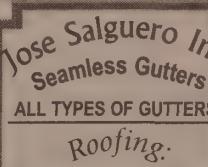
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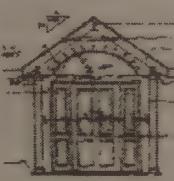
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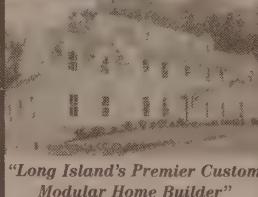
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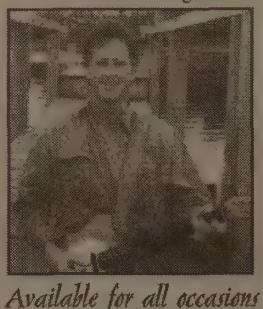


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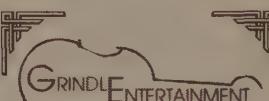
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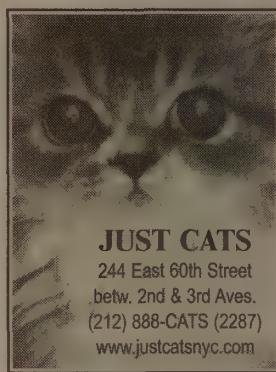
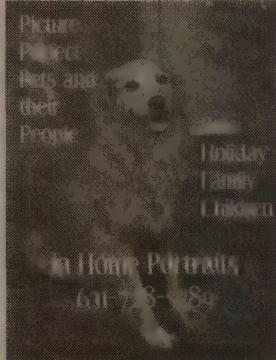
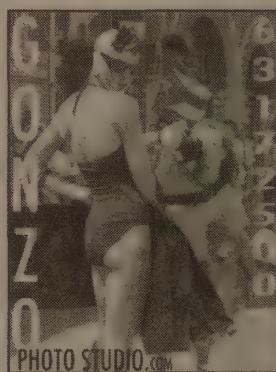
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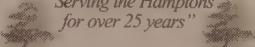
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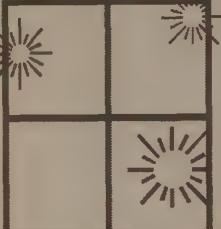
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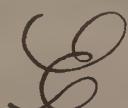
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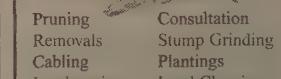
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## DAN'S HELP WANTED / CLASSIFIEDS

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## SUMMER RENTALS

## EAST QUOGUE

Post Modern at end of private road

5+ BEDROOMS 3 1/2 BATHS

Jacuzzi

Hot Tub

20 x 40 L Shaped Pool

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## WEEKLY RENTALS

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By Owner

## WESTHAMPTON TO EAST HAMPTON,

8 BR, 7 BA to 1 BR, 1 BA, CAC, heated pool, Hot tub, Tennis, Basketball, Vollyball, modern kitchens & baths, Wide screen TV, pool table, etc.

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## DAN'S REAL ESTATE FOR RENT/SALE

## WEEKLY RENTALS

## ALL BRAND NEW BRIDGEHAMPTON

Spectacular 7,200 sq. ft. 7 bdrm, 7 full baths, house on 6 acres. Heated gunite pool w/ jacuzzi, tennis, bball, gym, cook's kitchen, DR, gameroom, 6 TVs. Also 7 BR, 5 Ba house available with all amenities. Weekly or weekends. Owner 212-579-4964 [www.theresidencesof.com](http://www.theresidencesof.com)

East Hampton: Stunning new designer decorated contemporary on 1 acre, pool, romantic landscape lights. 2 story great room, marble fireplace, HD TVs, large open European dining room, eat in kitchen, luxury master suite, jacuzzi plus 2 guest bedrooms. Suitable for honey mooners/ references. Inquire for summer season. Flaming foliage special. \$1,500 weekend. \$2,500 weekly. 516-676-7779.

Southampton. 6 bedroom, 4 bath estate. \$1,500 weekly until May 15 or summer \$70,000. 212-842-9753.

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2 BR \$700, 3 BR \$800,  
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## FURNISHED STUDIOS

Starting at \$800/ Month

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Montauk, Ocean View, 3 Bedrooms, 2 baths, wood burning stove, 1,800, month plus utilities, 917-912-4540.

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## Mint 4 bedroom, 3 bath for Xmas!/New Years

Sleeps minimum 8, 2,700 square feet, designer decorated.

6 TVs, stereo throughout, warm fireplace setting.

Perfect house for entertaining. 2 sleeping dens plus 4 bedrooms! Airy and bright. All dates available.

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## SOUTHAMPTON CONDO

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## Fireplace, Garage

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## Tennis

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## Now- Memorial Day

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Southampton. Walk to village. Quiet. 2 Rooms

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## Small pet okay

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November - MD

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## WINTER RENTALS

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## YEAR ROUND RENTALS

EAST HAMPTON 1035 Springs Fireplace Road At Underwood 3 bedroom, 2 baths, \$2,100 month 917-882-4320

EAST HAMPTON 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Central air, heated pool, LCD TV, \$27,600 year. Winter available \$1,600 month. No brokers, 718-745-7309

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Delightful light, airy, private, Contemporary tucked into peaceful wooded setting, midway between East Hampton & Sag Harbor

4 BEDROOMS, 3 BATHS Central Air Conditioning, Master jacuzzi Fireplace

Email PHOTOS available \$42,000 Includes SUMMER 2006! Call 646-246-7227

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## EAST HAMPTON Available Immediately!

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East Hampton Village. 1 block from pond. Charming cottage on large property. Over an acre. 4 bedrooms, 1.5 baths. \$2,500 month. 631-907-2667 or 516-381-4282.

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East Hampton. Springs. 3 bedroom, 2 bath house. Large fenced in backyard. \$2,500 plus utilities. 631-725-1433, 516-680-4417.

East Hampton: Private, sunny, tastefully appointed home on wooded acre. 2 bedrooms, 2 full baths, large office, pool, deck, washer/dryer, kitchen, dining area, living room, fireplace, cathedral ceilings, skylights. \$2,700. 631-324-7303.

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## DAN'S REAL ESTATE FOR RENT / SALE

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| <p><b>East Quogue</b> 4Bdm, 2Ba, heat included, \$2,300 mo. <b>Eastport</b> 2 Bdm., \$1,350. <b>Remsenburg</b> 3 Bdm., furnished no pets. \$1,700. <b>Hampton Bays</b> 5 Bdms, 4 Ba, pool, \$2,500</p> <p><b>Gateway to the Hamptons Real Estate</b><br/>631-325-3449</p>   | <p><b>North Haven</b> . Charming 2 bedroom 1 Bath + sleeping loft. Walk to beach. No smoking. \$1,475 / month + utilities. 1st, last, security. 917-414-1966.</p> <p><b>Quogue</b>, 5 Bedroom, 3.5 Baths, Catheral Ceilings, Pool, CAC, Fireplace, Furnished, with linens. \$2,500. 631-288-2021</p> <p><b>Quogue</b>: Completely refurbished 1 bedroom apartment in middle of town. New kitchen/ bath. No pets. \$1,100 monthly. 631-653-4701.</p> <p><b>Remsenburg</b> 2 bedroom house on wooded half acre. Quiet dead-end street. Eat in kitchen with new appliances. New bathtub, vanity, carpeting and windows. 917-687-5902</p> <p><b>Sag Harbor</b>, Walk to beach / gorgeous sunsets, two minute drive to village, 2 bedroom, fireplace, deck, non-smoker, \$1,700 Month, Owner Call 631-549-0193 Cell 631-807-5231</p> <p><b>Sag Harbor</b>, Sunny cottage/studio. Stones throw to beach. \$1,200 monthly plus utilities. 631-725-1433, 516-680-4417.</p> <p><b>Sag Harbor</b>: Beautifully restored light and airy 1 bedroom apartment. washer dryer, dishwasher, walk to village. \$1450/ month. References. 631-725-7189</p> | <p><b>Southampton</b>: Charming 3 bedroom, 1 bath house on large property. Dishwasher, laundry. \$2,000/ month plus utilities. Available immediately. 917-273-016</p>   | <p><b>CO-OP APARTMENTS AVAILABLE!</b></p> <p><b>COLONIAL VILLAGE Southold, N.Y.</b></p> <p>Colonial Village is a Cooperative Apartment Community for persons 55 years of age and over on lovely grounds in the heart of Southold hamlet</p> <p><b>1 BEDROOM apartments</b> \$163,990</p> <p><b>2 BEDROOM apartments</b> from \$249,550</p> | <p><b>HAMPTON BAYS</b></p> <p>Owner's Unit Waterfront, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, all new exquisite decor, furnished, full finished basement. Must see 49 Canoe Place Road \$779,000 316-841-3333</p> <p><b>Riverhead</b> Newly Listed! Millpond, New 2 Story, 2 Bedroom, 1.5 Baths, Wooded View. Full Basement, Washer/Dryer, \$360,000. By Owner, 631-499-0940.</p> | <p><b>BRIDGEHAMPTON</b> Carriage House on half acre, facing Polo Field, Western Exposure. Light Airy Dining, Living Room, Kitchen. Two Fireplaces, Great Neighborhood, opportunity for expansion. Brokers Protected. 631-537-6920, 917-225-0232 1,075,000.</p>   |
| <p><b>East Quogue cottage</b>: centrally located in village just off Montauk Highway. Close to all. 1 bedroom, 1 bathroom, kitchen &amp; living room, recently renovated. \$1,000 per month. Utilities not included. 1 month security, 2 months rent down. <b>East Quogue Home</b>: centrally located in village just off Montauk Hwy. Close to all. 3 bedrooms, 1 bathroom \$1,400 per month/negotiable. Utilities not included. 1 month security, 2 months rent down. Whalen Homes. 631-259-3966</p> <p><b>Hampton Bays</b> Beautiful 8 room ranch near ocean. 3-4 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Laundry, Central Air. \$2,200. Call Owner 631-725-1448</p> <p><b>Hampton Bays</b>: Centrally located in village just off Montauk Highway. Close to all. 4-5 bedrooms, 1 bathroom, updated kitchen. \$1,600 per month. Utilities not included. 1 month security, 2 months rent down. Whalen Homes. 631-259-3966.</p> <p><b>Hampton Bays</b>: New 2 bedroom, 1 bath apartment. Hard wood floors, central air, oil heat. Washer/ dryer. No pets. Must have excellent references. \$1,500/ month, includes electric. 631-988-0468. AGC Realty</p>   | <p><b>Wainscott, East Hampton</b>: private apartment in Estate near ocean, private entrance. Maid, pool, cable. All utilities. South of Highway. Furnished .1.8k per mo 631-537-3068, 212-879-3089 artherzog@aol.com</p> <p><b>Westhampton</b>, Studio Apartment, Private Entrance. CAC, Heat, non-smoker, no-pets, \$1,100 month, includes utilities, references required 631-921-6664.</p>   | <p><b>SHELTER ISLAND</b></p> <p>Brand new 3 Bedroom, 3 full Baths. Central air, 2-car garage. No pets, no smoking.</p> <p>References and security. 631-749-0877</p>   | <p><b>Please stop by</b><br/>(just west of the fire house on Route 25 in Southold)<br/>or<br/>Call the office 631-765-3436</p> <p><b>8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.</b><br/><b>Monday thru Friday</b><br/>for complete details and an offering plan</p> <p><b>THE COMPLETE OFFERING TERMS ARE IN AN OFFERING PLAN AVAILABLE FROM SPONSOR</b></p>      | <p><b>BRIDGEHAMPTON</b> North, Excellent Investor, Turnkey Opportunity, Easy Add On. Fully Renovated, 4 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Saltbox, nearly 1 Acre, Private Wooded Lot. Fireplace, Hardwood Floors Throughout. Full Basement, Easy Year Round rental. \$690,000. By Owner, 917-691-4169.</p>   | <p><b>BRIDGHAMPTON</b> BEST INVESTMENT SOUTH OF HIGHWAY Beautifully designed 6,000 square foot new farmhouse on scenic 1.4 acre lot. High end finishes, gunite pool, room for tennis, principals only \$4,150,000 631-283-6161 x 11</p> <p>view our homes<br/><a href="http://www.charlesrich.com">www.charlesrich.com</a></p> |
| <p><b>Hampton Country Real Estate</b>, 19 Corwith Avenue, Bridgehampton, Tel. 631-537-2000 <a href="http://www.hamptoncountry.com">www.hamptoncountry.com</a></p> <p><b>Amagansett</b> - Contemporary clean living with Oceanviews from 3rd floor observation deck, 4 BRs, 2.5 baths, garage, hot tub, terrific location. Folio# 5361. Year Round \$60,000. Call Amy Unangst x 327 or cell 631-334-0552.</p> <p><b>Bridgehampton</b> - Minutes from village, tennis, beaches. This barn style 2,000sf. home comes with 3BR, 2BA, fireplace, deck. Available April 2006 Folio# 2838. Year-round \$38,000. Call Lally Mockler at x207 or cell 516-971-6002.</p> <p><b>Wainscott</b> - South of the Highway - 4BR/2BA home with pool on half an acre, unfurnished. Available for Winter or Annual rental. Folio# 5761. Call Amy Unangst at 631-537-2000 X327 or 631-334-0552.</p> <p><b>Kerrigan Country Realty</b><br/>East Quogue<br/>631-653-9500</p> <p><b>WHB</b> - 3 BR/2 BA, IG Pool \$2300/mo - Ref.#888723<br/><b>WHB</b> - 2 BR/IBA, \$1900/mo Ref. # 909102<br/><b>East Quogue</b> - 3 BR, 3 BA \$2000/mo Ref.# 905816<br/><b>East Quogue</b> 4 BR, 2 BA, IGP \$2200/mo 876530<br/><b>We have many more</b> Year Round, Winter and Summer Rentals Available !!! Please call for more information!</p> | <p><b>SOUTHAMPTON</b><br/>Newly renovated house. 3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath. First, last and one month security. \$2,000 month. 631-283-7754</p> <p><b>Southampton Village</b> - Charming 1920's Farmhouse, 3 Bedroom, 1.5 Bath Outdoor Shower, Porch Swing. \$30,000. (212)-427-6585.</p> <p><b>Southampton Village</b> Sunny 2 Bedroom with washer/ dryer, large yard. Walk to train and village. \$1,800 month. Call 516-971-0608</p> <p><b>Southampton Village</b>: 2 bedroom, 1 bath apartment. Kitchen. \$1,700 utilities included. 516-658-2749</p> <p><b>Southampton</b>: Shinnecock, Attractively Furnished, Large Studio, 3 Windows, French Doors, Separated Living Room, Dining Room. Fireplace, Private Entrance, Patio and Parking. Asking 1,150 month, 718-347-3092, 516-369-0745.</p> <p><b>Southampton</b>: 4 bedrooms, 2 baths. Living room, kitchen, full basement. \$2,000/ month plus utilities. 631-252-7499.</p>   | <p><b>American Home Mortgage</b></p> <p><b>GRAND OPENING!</b></p> <p><b>87 Newtown Lane</b><br/><b>East Hampton</b></p> <p><b>Call us at (631) 324-7250</b><br/><b>or stop in to visit and receive a free gift!</b></p> <p><b>\$300 Credit Discount Certificate</b></p> <p>American Home Mortgage will credit to the holder of this certificate \$300 upon the holder's closing on a mortgage loan arranged by American Home Mortgage. Instructions to holder: Go to our website on the certificate and submit it to American Home Mortgage at the same time you submit your loan application. This certificate expires on 12/31/05. This certificate may not be used with any other discount or promotion.</p> <p>Name of Certificate Holder (fill in) _____</p> <p>Certificate source: </p> <p>AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE<br/>87 Newtown Lane<br/>East Hampton, NY<br/>Phone: 631-324-7250</p> <p>Equal Housing Lender. © 2005 Licensed or authorized mortgage lender throughout the fifty states and the District of Columbia as American Home Mortgage Corp. Trade/servicemarks are the property of American Home Mortgage Corp. 538 Broadhollow Road, Melville NY 11747. (516) 396-7700 and/or its subsidiaries. Licensed as AHM Mortgage in Arizona, Arizona Mortgage Broker License Number BK 904514, Licensed by the Department of Corporations under the California Residential Mortgage Lending Act, Georgia Residential Mortgage License #11465, and as Residential Mortgage Broker in Massachusetts. Massachusetts Mortgage Broker License Number 1000. Massachusetts Residential Mortgage Broker License #11465. Licensed as AHM Mortgage in NJ, First and Second Licensed Mortgage Company, Licensed by the New Hampshire banking department. Licensed as AHM Mortgage in NJ, First and Second Licensed Mortgage Banker-NJ Department of Banking and Insurance, Licensed Mortgage Banker - NYS Banking Department, in Ohio, DBA, MortgageSelect, American Brokers Conduit License #9M190; Licensed Mortgage Banker - Pennsylvania Department of Banking and Licensed pursuant to Secondary Mortgage Loan Act, Rhode Island licensed Lender. Some products may not be available in all states. This is not a commitment to lend. Restrictions apply. All rights reserved. LMBC NO 104060 05052031-AHMLR</p> |  |   |  |

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## HOMES FOR SALE

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East Hampton Town 2001 shingled 2 story, 4 bedrooms, 3 full baths, 2 masters, oak floors, deck and full basement. John Marshall school district \$650,000. 516-658-4525.

**East Hampton Village**, Charming Fully Renovated 3 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath, Vintage Cottage. Private Acre, Pool, Overlooking Horse Field. Pool, Stereo Throughout, 1/2 Mile To Village. 1,160,000. By Owner 917-691-4169

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**Beautiful Property** Located on a quiet street in a family neighborhood is this very special 4 bedroom, playroom and 3.5 bath home located on 1.5 acres.

There is a huge back yard. Very oversized custom L-shaped heated pool and cabana with bar and plenty of decking for outdoor entertaining. Speaker system outside and inside. Open layout with kitchen and dining area

leading to family room. Plus a formal living room. Full basement with TV, refrigerator and many built in storage areas. Wonderful children's playground and a 2 car garage. Hurry! Folio #11595. Asking \$1,150,000.

**Deep Water Creek** Prestigious East Moriches waterfront community! 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 2 fireplace sunroom master craftsmanship 2 acres of paradise. A must see! Folio #10762 Exclusive \$1,995,000.

**New to Market** 'Priced to Sell' 4 bedrooms, 2 baths ranch on .5 acre in Westhampton. Custom pool and very large deck area. Needs work. Folio #00334, asking \$799,000. Please call First Hampton Realty 516-288-2122.

**Oceanfront Beach House** Spectacular Nantucket style home with wrap around covered front porch. An Open floor plan welcomes family & friends to this 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath home with gourmet kitchen and granite counters, living room with carved fireplace mantle and French doors opening to ocean side mahogany deck with heated

Gunité pool, hot tub & private walkway to the beach. The master & junior master suites both have balconies, with expansive ocean views. Just bring your toothbrush, all the designer furniture is included.

Exclusive Folio #10917, Asking \$2,795,000. Contact Sarita Silver cell #917-593-2918. E-mail: ss@firsthamptonrealty.com

**Dune Road Waterfront**

In Westhampton Beach 3 plus acres of property with over 40 ft. of bay frontage. There are permits for appox 5,000 sq ft. house with pool & decks and a 35 ft. wide right of way to the ocean. Exclusive Folio #6059. Asking \$2,950,000. Contact Richard Silver, cell

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## HOMES FOR SALE

**HAMPTON BAYS  
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**WALK TO BAY  
for \$429,000!!!**

3 bedroom/

1 bath ranch house with beamed ceiling and fireplace on .33 of an acre. Room for pool and/or expansion, attached garage and full basement. Half block to bay all for \$429,000!!!

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**VILLAGE RANCH  
HALF ACRE  
FOR \$469,000!!!**

3 bedroom/

2 bath ranch on .50 acre in the heart of the village. Attached garage and full basement with expansion and pool possibilities all for \$469,000!!!

Folio 73278/  
Internet #38882

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**Hampton Country Real Estate,  
19 Corwith Avenue,  
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**Southampton** - Just Listed - Built in 2004 & offering over 3,600 sq. feet, 5 bedrooms, 4 baths, 2 living rooms, dining room, EIK, breakfast nook, 2 car garage, CAC & many custom details. Turn key. Folio 15187. EXCLUSIVE \$1,225,000. Call Angela Boyer at 917-207-7777 or Ext. 315.

**Southampton** - Traditional home with detached renovated barn & pool. Unique opportunity. Turn key. Owner relocating. EXCLUSIVE. Just Reduced. \$825,000. Folio# 14830. Call Angela Boyer at 917-207-7777 or Ext. 315.

**Wainscott South** Home/Office - Great Opportunity for Home / Office with this 4BR / 3Bath Traditional "Fixer Upper". Situated on 1 acre adjoining Reserve Areas on two sides with 2-car garage. EXCLUSIVE. \$975,000. Folio# 14329. Call Hampton Country Real Estate, Inc. at 631-537-2000.

**Wainscott** - Unique New Construction Set on 4.4 acres, this newly constructed home incorporates top shelf & exotic materials throughout. 5 bedrooms (including luxurious 1st floor master suite with fireplace), soaring ceilings, exposed beams & many fine architectural details throughout. 50 ft. heated gunite pool, expansive decking & permits for tennis in-hand. Too many extras to list. CO-EXCLUSIVE. \$3,995,000. Folio# 15340. Call Eleni Syriano at Ext. 319.

**Bridgehampton** Hot location, easily updated, this 3BR home is located in a multi-million dollar neighborhood with a world of potential. EXCLUSIVE. Reduced. \$950,000. Folio# 14829. Call Angela Boyer 917-207-7777 or Ext. 315.

## HOMES FOR SALE

**Hampton Country Real Estate,  
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Bridgehampton,  
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**Bridgehampton Village** Cash Cow! Investment and income producing property. Here it is! 3 apartments, possible 4. Steady rent rolls. 2 apartments, identical layouts, 1800 sqft each, consisting of LR, FP, 2 BR, 1 BA, Kitchen, Dining Area. Garage apartment with 900 sqft living space, LR, 1BR, 1BA plus downstairs studio with separate driveway. \$1,700,000. Folio #15141 Call Lally Mockler at x207

**Bridgehampton Village** - South of Highway Village Farm Barn on 2.2 acres. Plus a 6BR, 5BA, 6,500sf. Contemporary home with 7-zone CAC/Heat, Gunite pool, Billiard room, Gold fish pond & room for tennis. EXCLUSIVE. Just reduced. \$4,750,000. Folio# 1909. Call Lally Mockler x207.

**Bridgehampton** - Polo Country. New To Market! Enjoy fabulous farm views and sunsets in this 2 BR, 2BA, 1800 sf upside down house. Located on a generous half acre with pool permits being renewed. This easy care home close to village and all public transportation. Priced right at \$1,075,000. Folio# 15375 Lally Mockler at x207 or 516 971-6002

**Bridgehampton South** - Spectacular home with water views located on a very private flag lot. New traditional 7,000 sf home with 6BR, 6BA, Elevator, Water Fall jacuzzi into a heated gunite pool overlooking one of the most beautiful ponds in the Hamptons. Extras include 3 fireplaces, finished basement, top of the line kitchen and fixtures. Two car garage. Use your own dock to tie up your kayak. Enjoy beautiful sunrises and sunsets. Close to village and all transportation. See it today. \$4,300,000. Folio# 14608 Call Lally Mockler at x207 or (516) 971-6002

**East Hampton** - Horse Farm - on 3 acres. Barn with 5 Stalls (1,500 sq. ft.), 7 paddocks. Linked to preserve trail system. 1-story home with 3BR/1.5 BA, Gunite pool, & 2-car garage. EXCLUSIVE. Just Reduced! \$1,625,000. Folio # 14051. Call Eleni Syriano x 319.

**East Hampton** - Form & Function - On 5 acres, 4BR, 4.5 BA with a gated private drive. Built in 2000, 4 zone heat, CAC, 300 amp. service, full basement, 3 car garage, professional kitchen opens to spacious decks, rolling lawn & fenced gunite pool, 1st floor master suite. Expandable. \$2,995,000. Folio# 14331. Call Eleni Syriano at x319.

**North Haven Estate** - on over 2 acres, 6BR/5.5 BA heated Gunite pool, community tennis & private beach, 3 car garage, and the list goes on. Just Reduced. \$3,400,000. Folio# 10339. Call Joe Gaites x204.

**Sagaponack** - Built in 2000 on 3 private acres with room for tennis, 5 plus bedrooms, 4.5 baths, pool. EXCLUSIVE. \$1,900,000. Folio# 13636. Call Angela Boyer at 917-207-7777 or Ext. 315

## HOMES FOR SALE

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**Sag Harbor** - Ranch-style home, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, den possible 3rd bedroom, full basement, deck, 5 acre lot with room for expansion, near beach. Folio# 15260. Reduced to \$675,000. CO-EXCLUSIVE. Call Joe Gaites at Ext. 204.

**Sag Harbor** - Terrific location! Very private 1.6 acres, turn-key home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, dining area, spacious kitchen, large deck, garage, plenty of room for pool & tennis. Walk to water. Sag Harbor School District. Folio# 15301. \$1,200,000. CO-EXCLUSIVE. Call Amy Jo Unangst at 631-334-0552 or Ext. 327.

**Sag Harbor** - Easy living - New to the market. Open and airy, 2,000 sq. ft. turnkey one level home on quiet Sag Harbor cul de sac. Situated on shy 2 acres with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large deck, beautiful stone FPL, CAC, plenty of room for pool and future expansion. Only minutes from village and beaches. Folio# 15302. EXCLUSIVE. \$1,595,000. Call Rob Camerino at 631-537-2000 or Amy Unangst at 631-334-0552.

**Southampton** - Entertainers Dream Home - Turn-key home with beautiful pond views is truly exceptional. Featuring 5 bedrooms, living room, hi-tech media room, EIK, breakfast nook, dining room, 2 fireplaces, 2 car garage, gunite pool, tennis & custom details at every turn. Just listed. Folio# 12651.

EXCLUSIVE, \$3,500,000. Call Angela Boyer at 917-207-7777 or Ext. 315. Call Lally Mockler x207 or 516 971-6002

**Quogue** - Newly renovated traditional on a great street. Five bedrooms four baths, large master suite with balcony and fireplace, dining room, living room with fireplace, heated pool, all weather tennis court, \$1,495,000 Co-Exclusive.

**Quogue** - Totally renovated traditional with four bedrooms and three baths, large master suite with fireplace, granite country kitchen, finished basement, pool with large patio, two car garage, \$1,550,000.00. Co-Exclusive

## HOMES FOR SALE

**Hampton Pointe LLC  
Hamptonsonthenet.com  
516-521-6007**

**Southampton Village**: Builder Direct! South of Highway Traditional with an open floor plan, 5 bedrooms (Two Master suites), 4 baths, and 3,500 square feet of living space. Professional kitchen with Screened in Porch, Fireplace, 9 foot basement ceilings, central vacuum, A/C and Heated Gunite pool. \$2,695,000 516-521-6007 Hamptonsonthenet.com

**Jean Carbone Real Estate, Inc.**  
61 Montauk Highway  
Quogue, NY  
631-653-4197  
Jeancarbonerealestate.com

**Quogue** - New Exclusive - Contemporary with four bedrooms, three baths, large great room with fireplace, full basement, heated pool, \$995,000.00 Exclusive

**Quogue** - New to the Market - Charming country cottage on a full acre, totally renovated, two bedrooms two baths, 20x40 pool. \$595,000.00

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**Jean Carbone Real Estate, Inc.**  
61 Montauk Highway  
Quogue, NY  
631-653-4197  
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**Quogue** - New Listing - Oceanfront Jewel, Tastefully done recent renovation, Five Bedrooms, three baths, two half baths, Heated pool with plenty of grass for the kids, private road off of Dune Road, \$4,995,000.00 Co-Exclusive.

**Quogue** - New Listing - South of Quogue Street and walking distance to the ocean - Private four bedroom three bath traditional, living room with cathedral ceilings and fireplace, heated oversized gunite pool, all weather tennis court, \$2,795,999.00 Co-Exclusive.

**East Quogue** - New Listing, Great Investment Property, three - one bedroom one bath cottages with great rent roll, low taxes, \$595,000.00

**East Quogue** - Handyman Special - Three bedrooms, one bath, two car garage, pool, all on .75 of an acre \$395,000.00 Exclusive.

**Remsenburg** - New Listing - Classic Traditional with covered porch, five bedrooms and three baths, Fireplace, formal dining room, sun porch, greenhouse, charming guest house with one bedroom, one bath plus sleeping loft, one car garage, \$2,500,000.00 Co-Exclusive

**East Moriches** Gorgeous new waterfront home in prestigious Baywoods. 3 Fireplaces, Heated gunite pool, Gourmet kitchen, Wine cellar, dock permits pending... and the list goes on! Please call for more information! \$2,399,000 Ref.# 836488

## HOMES FOR SALE

**Karen Overton-Connolly  
Real Estate  
Hampton Bays  
(631)-728-3617**

**Exclusive Listings**

**Hampton Bays Canal view**  
Income potential. 3 bedroom ranch, 1.5 bath, fireplace, detached garage, full basement \$499,000

**Southampton** Just outside the village, cedar shaked, 3 bedroom 2 bath ranch woodburning stove, oak floors, full basement, garage, inground pool, private fenced backyard, home/office potential \$699,000

**Kerrigan Country Realty**  
East Quogue  
631-653-9500

**Westhampton Beach Village**  
4BR, 1.5BA Contemporary. Recently renovated, plenty of room for Pool and to add on! Exclusive \$865,000 Ref# 1625460

**Eastport** Wonderful 3 BR, 2.5 BA Cape set on a quiet lane. Set on acre just a Block to the Bay! Private deepwater Dock. Ref# 1743911 \$850,000

**Westhampton Beach**  
Immaculate Three Bedroom, Two Bath Colonial With Finished Basement Located South Of The Highway In Whb. Perennial Gardens Surround This Extremely Private Yard Walk to all. Ref.# 887310 \$1,100,000

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**East Moriches** Wonderful Split ranch, 4 BR, 3 BA, IGP, Perfect Mother/Daughter! Walk to beach. Great Neighborhood! Ref# 1653496 \$529,000

**Quogue** 3000 Square Foot 5 Bedroom, 3 Bath Colonial. Pine Plank Hardwood Floors, Huge Family Room W/Wood Burning Fireplace, Full Walk-Out Basement, 2-Car Garage IGP \$1,499,000 Ref# 865446

**East Quogue** New Listing! Charming 4 bedroom, 1.5 bath Cape on a beautifully landscaped .6 acre. 4 Car Garage! Ref# 1756393 Asking \$545,000

**Riverhead** New Listing! Close to shopping, professional services. Great 3 BR Cape! Fireplace, Garage. Private backyard, great neighborhood! Ref# 1757126 Asking \$369,000

**Westhampton Beach** Newly renovated, waterview Co-op Studio \$275,000 Ref# 1765614

**New Construction!** Get in while there is still time to customize! Homes available in Hampton Bays, East Quogue, Flanders, and Westhampton. Call for more information!

**Kerrigan Country Realty**  
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**Westhampton Beach** - Oneck Section 5 BR, 4 BA, LR w/FP, 2 Den's w/FP, Dining Room, 2 Car Garage, Shy Acre South of Highway Exclusive \$1,650,000 Ref# 1704720

**Westhampton Beach** The Village "Fixer Upper" you've been looking for. Main house has two separate living areas plus guest cottage. Exclusive \$699,000 Ref# 1683393

**Westhampton Beach** Perfect 2BR Cottage for new beginnings or winding down. Exclusive \$465,000 Ref# 1645527

**Westhampton** Newly Renovated, 4BR, 3BA, Post Modern, Pool, Tennis Court Exclusive \$1,295,000 Ref# 1703679

**East Moriches** Fantastic Bayfront Condo! 2 BR, 2 BA. Airy and Open. Exclusive \$649,000 Ref# 1697986

**East Quogue** Post Modern, 5BR, 5BA, One Acre, Tennis, Basketball, Pool. Exclusive \$1,599,000 Ref# 1718267

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**Kerrigan Country Realty**  
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**Westhampton Beach** Condo Waterfront Condo, 2BR, 2.5BA, Pool, Dock. Great Canal front Village Location. Exclusive - \$649,000

**Westhampton Post Modern** Beautiful 3590 sq. ft. 5 BR on shy acre on cul-de-sac. Exclusive \$1,120,000

**Quogue** 4Br, 3.5Ba, Lr ,Dr, Great Room, pool, 1 Acre, room for tennis \$1,399,000

**Southampton** 3 BR Ranch in the village heart. Bring your ideas Exclusive \$850,000 Ref# 1746889

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**Shinnecock Hills** Spacious 5BR, 4BA, Contemporary w/decks galore & pool. Exclusive \$1,175,000 Ref# 1740357

**Westhampton Beach** - Seafield Lane Mint 5 BR, 3BA Home in best village area- Waterviews Exclusive \$1,700,000 Ref# 1750777

**Remsenburg Classic** 4BR, 3BA Cape on quiet cul-de-sac. Exclusive \$1,249,000 Ref# 1750823

**Westhampton Beach** 4BR; 3BA Oceanfront Beach House, w/huge decks & walls of glass. Co-Exclusive \$2,690,000

**Quiogue** 4BR, 2BA, Cape Cod on . acre Exclusive \$737,000 Ref# 1755773

**Westhampton Dunes** 4BR, 3\_BA Architecturally unique bayside Post Modern Co-Exclusive \$1,825,000 Ref # 1757827

**East Moriches** Immaculate 3BR, + Bonus Den, 2\_BA Post Modern w/ hardwoods Exclusive \$720,000

**East Quogue** 4BR, 2BA, . Acre, Backs up to preserve, Renovated, in-ground pool, Co-Exclusive \$649,000 Ref# 1764213

**Westhampton** Approved Private & Treed Building Acre in desirable area. BHD Approvals obtained. Walk to town & Houses of Worship. \$635,000 Ref# 1716633

## HOMES FOR SALE

**Lloyd's Realty Corporation**  
Greenport  
Office 631-477-2220  
www.lloydsrealty.com

**Greenport Village** New Listing! 2 story Circa 1920 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath, living room, formal dining room, eat in kitchen, hardwood floors, close to transportation, shopping and restaurants. Low taxes. Exclusive. \$383,000.

**Greenport Village** Circa 1900s 2 family home. Recent updates: electric (2 meters), 2 hot water heaters, 2 fuel tanks. Wide pine floors, new appliances, including 2 w/ d. A great investment property! Exclusive. Reduced \$499,000.

**Greenport Village** Absolutely mint 3 BR, 2 bath 2 story, wide-plank floors, E I K / FPL/ French doors, granite. Open and airy throughout. Exclusive. Reduced \$489,000.

**Greenport Village** Attention investors! Legal 8 family dwelling offers five 1 bedroom and three 2 bedroom apartments. Fully occupied. Exclusive. \$850,000

**Southold** Meticulously restored 4 bedroom, 2 bath Victorian cottage circa 1900. Southern exposure, pastoral views, bay beach and park close by. Exclusive \$547,000.

**Southold** Meticulously restored story book c. 1900 4 bedroom, 2 bath Victorian cottage. Southern exposure, pastoral views, bay beach and park down the road. Exclusive \$569,000.

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**MONTAUK** Surfside Estates cottage on 1.3 acres. Ocean view, 2 separate lots. \$1,999,000. Little Neck Realty. 718-224-0300

**Morley Agency**  
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631/283-8100  
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**Southampton** - Waterfront Special Gem! Private 1.6 acres with panoramic views, casually grand, fireplace, library, family room, 4 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, central air, 2-car garage, gunite pool, dock. Exclusive \$2,950,000

**Southampton** - Brand New Deluxe Delight! Traditional style two-story on private acre just two miles from Village, 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, central air, 2-car garage, complete with pool. Excellent \$1,395,000

## HOMES FOR SALE

**Morley Agency**  
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**Southampton** Waterfront - Refreshing Renovation! Launch your boat with access to open waters of Peconic Bay or bask on breezy deck. Light, bright, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, playroom. Exclusive \$899,000

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Private 3 bedroom, living room with fireplace, finished basement, attached garage, gunite swimming pool, Asking \$949,000.00

### Noyac Retreat:

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### Noyac New To Market:

Beach community location. Two bedrooms, living & dining room, den, attached two car garage, full basement. Asking \$649,000.00

### Noyac Investment:

Starter house. Potential two family or m/d. Almost an acre. Price reduced to \$629,000.00

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SAG HARBOR  
631-725-9001

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3 bedrooms, 2 full baths  
Garage, Basement  
Shy 1/2 acre  
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**Peconic.** Spectacular Victorian. This beautiful home has it all starting with 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, formal dining room, living room, eat in kitchen, den, gas granite hearth fireplace, 2 car garage. Amenities include crown moldings, central air and vacuum, master suite with sitting area and jacuzzi. All this on a lovely landscaped 1/2 acre in great neighborhood. Priced right \$799,000. 911-692-7136, 631-734-2338.

**Phillips Beach Realty**  
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Westhampton Beach  
www.phillipsbeach.com

**Westhampton.** Immaculate custom built Colonial on shy acre. 4BR, 2.5BA, 2 car garage, central air, manicured mature grounds surrounding brick patio and pool area and includes 2 ponds and perennial gardens. Exclusive, call Peggy Kislala. \$999,000. IN#39124.

**East Quogue.** Beautiful, secluded, meticulously maintained 5BR, 3BA with fireplace, central air and spacious living room with fireplace, dining room, pool, tennis court and plenty of room for a swing set. Exclusive, call Mary V. Gallagher. \$1,150,000. IN#39666.

**South of the Highway,** Quogue. This contemporary hi-ranch features a great room, 5BR, 2BA, den, pool, spacious yard and loads of decking. Short walk to the village. Exclusive, call Herb Phillips. \$699,000. IN#39747.

**Westhampton Beach,** Open Bayfront gem. Located on the widest part of Moriches Bay. Endless views, sunsets and sunrises make this 4BR, 3BA

Contemporary the perfect getaway. Deep water dock, tennis court and a very short walk to the ocean. Exclusive, call Herb Phillips. \$3,200,000. IN#39749.

**East Quogue.** Located on a quiet street in prestigious "Woodlands". Open layout with expansive rooms and soaring ceiling. 4BR, 4.5BA, den with french doors, fireplace, heated pool, TC with BB court, 2 car garage, finished basement, hot tub and low taxes. Exclusive, call Peggy Darling. \$1,295,000. IN#40733.

**Phillips Beach Realty**  
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Westhampton Beach  
www.phillipsbeach.com

**East Quogue.** Mint Condition. Fabulous flow thru-out this great looking one level home. 5BR, 4.5BA, heated pool & hot tub, tennis court. All on a secluded lot! Exclusive. \$1,595,000. Call Peggy Darling. IN#40357.

**Remsenburg,** Open Bayfront compound. Waterfront estate, sunrise and sunset views from this fabulous compound. Main house with wrap around porches, 5BRs, 5BAs. Guest cottage with 3BRs, and garage with caretakers loft. Ample decking surrounds the gunite pool, two separate acre lots, directly on the open bay! \$6,100,000. Also available with main house and pool on 1 acre for \$4,600,000. Exclusive, call Peggy Darling. IN#27370.

**Westhampton,** South-of-the-highway. Attractive Post Modern offering 5BR, den formal dining, open kitchen to living room, finished basement, fabulous grounds with pool and room for tennis. Exclusive, call Peggy Darling. \$1,995,000. IN#38992.

**Southampton Pines** Custom built Post modern, living room with fireplace, gourmet country kitchen, formal dining room, five bedrooms, four baths, den, full basement, two car garage, and pool. Loads of extras, call Francie Phillips to see, \$1,895,000. IN#28273.

**Westhampton Beach Village.** Walk to town and beaches from this 4BR, 2BA home. On a shy half-acre, this home features living room with fireplace, dining room, pool and fenced in spacious rear yard with decking and shade trees. Great location! Exclusive. Call George Malamas. \$849,000. IN #37992.

**Westhampton.** Spacious Post Modern Colonial with 4BR, 4.5BA, 2 story entrance foyer, 2 fireplaces, central air, 3 car garage and heated pool on a half acre. Exclusive, call Adrienne Wallace. \$1,200,000. IN#39378.

**East Quogue.** This 4BR, 2BA Contemporary located on 1 acre with large decks, pool, tennis court and 2 car garage is priced to sell at \$829,000. Best Buy! Exclusive, call Peggy Kislala. IN#34352

**Westhampton Waterfront,** first offering! Currently a Bed and Breakfast, this meticulously maintained Victoria home features 6BR, 6BA, beautiful landscaping surrounding the pool, hot tub room, classic parlor with fireplace, wraparound porch, boat dock, separate apartment, two car garage, pool house and more, all on two acres. Call Sue Dalton, \$1,999,000. IN#35254.

**Westhampton**, First Offering, custom built spacious colonial, open living room with fireplace, large country kitchen, five bedrooms and den/office, three full baths, finished basement, and custom free form gunite pool. Loads of extras, in a very private setting, Exclusive, call Francie Phillips, \$999,000. IN#34291.

**Westhampton** New Construction, four bedroom, four and one half bath Post Modern great views from every room, Gunite pool, two car garage on 4 waterfront acres with privacy and designer kitchen. Co-Exclusive. \$3,195,000. IN#37503.

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## HOMES FOR SALE

Phillips Beach Realty  
(631)-288-2300  
Westhampton Beach  
[www.phillipsbeach.com](http://www.phillipsbeach.com)

Quogue, located on a quiet Country lane, south of the highway in the Village of Quogue, 3BR, 3BA expandable Contemporary with central air, fireplace, complete with heated gunite pool, pool house and spacious grassed area for playing/entertaining... all on 1.25 bucolic wooded acres. Just a short walk to a deeded water access. Exclusive, call Sundy Schermeyer. \$2,295,000. IN#38650.

Village of Quogue. New to the market. Immaculate, 4BR, 3BA, den, upgraded kitchen, finished basement, heated pool, central air, mature landscaping and more on a shy acre. Quogue Beach rights and School. Exclusive, call Adrienne D'Aries. \$1,195,000. IN#38532.

Quogue Village. Post modern with 4BR, 2.5BA, finished basement, 2 car garage, central air, pool, fireplace and more on a private acre. Low taxes and Quogue School. Exclusive, call Adrienne D'Aries. \$1,280,000. IN#40706.

Prudent Douglas Elliman  
Enzo Morabito  
53345 Main Rd. Southold  
631-765-9400 ext. 204  
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**Westhampton postmodern.** This 4000 square foot house has large living room with fireplace, large kitchen, dining area and large family room, 5 bedrooms, 5 baths, full finished basement with bathroom and play area. Gas heated pool, har-tru tennis, hit tub, and 3 car garage. Exclusive at \$1,895,000, folio # 15279. Call Gwenn Ramage at Norma Reynolds Sotheby's International Realty 631-288-1050 ext. 31.

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**Quogue Contemporary.** Perfect condition, living room, dining area, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, den, 2.5 baths, oil heat, central air, heated pool, and tennis. Exclusive, \$1,399,000 folio # 15529. Call Gwenn Ramage at Norma Reynolds Sotheby's International Realty 631-288-1050 ext. 31.

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**Open House**  
Saturday December 3, 1-3p.m.  
South of the Highway. Hampton Bays. \$459,000. Great residential location, close to schools, town and beach, oak floors, eat in kitchen, large living room, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath on .20 acre, full finished basement with inside and outside entrances and a laundry room. Exclusive, # 56786 Dir. Montauk Highway right on Ponquogue, left on Argonne East, left on Gravel Hill.

**Charming Cape.** Close to Water Hampton Bays. \$455,000. This home boasts 2 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, eat-in-kitchen, living room, den, full basement and 1 car garage. Updated this past year, plus the additions of a lovely deck and stone patio. Exclusive. #56506

**Mint Home in Hampton Bays.** \$499,000. This home offers 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, family room, utility room and a summer kitchen. Great Mother/Daughter set up. Exclusive. #57056

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**Extended Mother / Daughter** Great Location, Hampton Bays. \$525,000. This home features 3 bedrooms, 1.5 bathrooms, sunroom, summer kitchen downstairs. One car garage and work room all on .50 of an acre. Exclusive # 55828

**Expanded Ranch-Hampton Bays.** \$649,000-Spacious home featuring master bedroom with bath plus 3 additional bedrooms and 2 baths, central air, country eat n kitchen, hardwood floors, 2 car garage, deck, shed and more. Exclusive. #44333

**Phenomenal Waterviews.** Hampton Bays. \$799,000. This custom built traditional home offers 4 spacious bedrooms, 2.5 baths, living room, dining room, eat-in-kitchen and unbridled charm. Exclusive. #54365

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**Southampton.** 40 acres on quiet street in lovely desirable neighborhood. Marina rights, ready to build. Wooded lot. Plans for 1850 square foot home with 10 foot ceiling, walk out basement facing south. Building permits in place, Board of health permits in place. \$450,000 Exclusive # 44361

**Sag Harbor.** Steps to sandy beach on the Bay. One of the last buildable lots in the community. Great wooded 1/2 acre nestled in quiet neighborhood adjoining Barcelona Point preserve. Elevated property with room for a large home and pool offering possible second story waterviews. Close to historic Main Street. Deeded beach and mooring rights. \$750,000 Exclusive # 44358

**Sag Harbor.** Put your special touches on this pre-construction Georgian style, 5 bedroom, 4 bath light-filled home designed with an intriguing floor plan. Walk to private beach. Centrally located. Have it all, beach, pool and views. \$1,940,000 Exclusive #56050.

**Sag Harbor.** Shy acre in one of Noyac's loveliest waterfront communities, awaits this cute and cozy 3 bedroom, 2 bath Cape featuring a living room with fireplace, family room, full basement, 2 car garage, and room for a pool. Short stroll to the neighborhood's private beach, beach club, and marina. \$875,000 Exclusive. #57028

**Sag Harbor Village.** Renovated Rustic modern barn style. situated on large private village lot on historic street. Hand built kitchen cabinets, soapstone counter tops, top of line commercial appliances. Double height living room. Master bedroom suite with fireplace and second floor terrace overlooking pool and pool house. Wrap around from porch. Walk to all. \$2,295,000 Exclusive # 53269

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**Vintage 1927 Classic Farm House.** Remsenburg. \$775,000. This special and one of a kind home nestled on a shy acre features Dining room, Living room, Family room. Large country hardwood floors throughout, plus finished basement. Front and rear porches measures 8 x 22! Beautiful new green house with electric glass panels, there is also a Barn with loft in rear yard. Exclusive. # 55904

**Oceanfront Co-Ops.** Westhampton. From \$300,000. What could be easier than a turnkey apartment on the ocean or bay where every necessity for relaxation and fun is at your disposal? The Arthur & Robin Team are highly experienced in co-op and condo transactions. Exclusive. #56836

**Privacy and Beautiful.** Water views in Westhampton. \$2,899,000. Gracious, 4 year young, Post-Modern set on a very private 2.4 acre lot. Kayak from your backyard or entertain on expansive lawns and Mahogany decking with 20x40 gunite pool. Features 4 bedrooms, gourmet kitchen, formal dining and living room, library, full basement and 2 car garage. Room for tennis. Exclusive. #56615

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**2 Acres of Waterfront** with Gorgeous Bay Views. Hampton Bays. \$2,600,000. Fantastic 3+ Bedroom renovated home featuring a great open floor plan with skylights, hardwood floors, gourmet kitchen with professional stainless steel appliances and new baths. Views of Shinnecock Bay with plenty of room for a pool and tennis court. 200 feet of new Bulkhead and dock, separate new Barn and office with power and water too! Exclusive. #42248

**Water view Contemporary.** Westhampton. \$1,385,000. If you're looking for a beautiful home down by the bay with privacy galore, put this one on your must see list. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths 2 fireplaces, upper and lower decks, heated gunite pool, 2 car garage. Exclusive. #56280

**Dune Road Charmer.** Westhampton Dunes. \$950,000. Located on almost half an acre is a 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath cozy beach cottage with open living space, including floor to ceiling windows that frame sensational Moriches Bay views. Enjoy stellar evening skies from a generous deck. The ocean is easily accessible from this very private and peaceful location, and there's room to expand to a second floor. Exclusive. #56839

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**\$750,000 Just Reduced! Best Deal Anywhere!** New Post Modern Farmhouse on one acre offers 4 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, great room with fireplace, cathedral ceilings, open kitchen with granite counter tops and Jenn-Aire appliances, central air, new lawn and irrigation system. Exceptional. \$750,000. F# 22034. Call Penny Stark (631) 965-0549.

**\$799,000 Great Rental Property** Co-Exclusive. Spacious three bedroom, two-bath Saltbox located at the end of a cul-de-sac on a quiet Springs lane, with double-height ceilings, new landscaping, brand new pool surrounded by brick patio. Separate garage and loft. Excellent tenant in place for one year. \$799,000. F# 22176. Call Penny Stark (631) 965-0549.

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**\$3,250,000** For the Discriminating Buyer. Shingled Traditional built in 2004 on 2+ acres with gated entry, long private drive, 5000 square feet, 6 bedrooms, 6 baths, 3 fireplaces, central air, custom molding, raised paneling, stone terraces, gunite pool, outdoor spa, 2-car garage, irrigation, security system. \$3,250,000. F# 17126. Call Penny Stark (631) 965-0549.

**\$1,435,000 Builder's Own Home.**

Westhampton. \$1,385,000. If you're looking for a beautiful home down by the bay with privacy galore, put this one on your must see list. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths 2 fireplaces, upper and lower decks, heated gunite pool, 2 car garage. Exclusive. #56280

**\$325,000 Exclusive.** Land for Sale. John Marshal School District. Now available. Buildable wooded quarter acre in John Marshal School District. Suitable for local family. Exclusive. Priced to sell at \$325,000. F# 12740. Call Penny Stark (631) 965-0549

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**\$885,000. Best in Northwest** New Traditional with 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, gourmet kitchen with oak cabinets and granite counter tops, hardwood flooring, master with marble bath, central air, central vacuum, pool and 2-car garage with bonus room. Well-priced at \$885,000. F# 20757. Call Penny Stark (631) 965-0549.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

**Amagansett Dunes, Winter Rental**, through April 15. Bright Cape Cod with hot water heat, fireplace, 3 Bedrooms, 3 baths, with master suite. Separate Den, Office with broadband. Washer/Dryer, walkway to Ocean. No Pets, Non Smoker, maximum 4 people. 937-609-1941

**Bellport Village cottage, Year Round Rental**  
1 Bedroom,  
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**Sagaponack North** - 1 acre in best location. Backs up to preserve, Ready for your 3,000sf. home! Excellent. \$735,000. Folio# 3725. Call Eleni Syrianos at 631-537-2000 Ext. 319.

**Sag Harbor** - Last of it's kind! .25 acre building lot with permits in-hand. Build you dream home immediately. Exclusive. \$585,000. Folio# 3697 Call Hampton Country Real Estate at 631-537-2000.

**Laurel**, With Health Permits. Beautiful 1/2 acre with gas, water. Steps to Bay Beach. Mattituck School District. Surrounded by 200 Acre Farm, Forever Views \$325,000. Phillip, 212-925-1444. 917-757-7227

Property Manager wanted: Acts as liaison between company and clients. Maintain weekly home checks, answering service calls, etc. 631-288-3535 or fax resume and salary requirements to 631-288-0538.

Secretary for landscaping company with experience in Quick Books. Willing to train. 631-445-2046.

## New to Market!!!



**Hampton Bays-Expanded Ranch, 3 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 Baths, Living Room, Family Room, Basement with 2 Finished Rooms and Large storage area. Central Air, - Recent renovations- Kitchen, Bath, Dining/ Family Room. Professional / Mature Landscaping. Multi-Level Decking surrounding above ground pool, Hot Tub. Quiet neighborhood close to town and schools. Low taxes!!**

**\$565,000**

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#### East Meets East - Sag Harbor

Asian tranquility. Newly renovated and private with bay view and unique landscaping with waterfall, Koi pond and greenhouse. On .59 acres with 3 BR, 2 BA, plus den, family room, 2 fireplaces, central AC and 2-car heated garage.

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#### Charming Traditional

Situated on a private lane with rights to 100 acre, spring-fed lake. Adjoining property is reserve land. 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, cathedral ceiling in living room, full basement, two car garage. Application in for a pool permit. OHA, CAC.

Exclusive \$945,000 F# 74491 WEB# 40413

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#### OPEN HOUSE

#### Saturday Dec 3rd • 10-12 • 15 Gunpowder Lane Cape in Northwest Woods

On quiet corner lot, sits across from a reserve. 3 BR, 2 BA, EIK, FPL, hardwood floors throughout, & heated pool. Skylit 400 sq. ft. sunroom is a plus. Near bay beaches! \$749,500 F# 70067 WEB# 37815

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#### Sag Harbor Village Condo with Bayviews

2-story Condo in "The Villas" features open plan living room, dining area, kitchen, 2 BR, 2.5 BA, balcony den, 2 decks with great sunset views, CAC, plus community tennis and heated pool. Walking distance to Main Street.

Exclusive \$875,000 F# 75045 WEB# 41325

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#### WHB New to Market!!

Lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, heated pool, walk to village, synagogue. \$895,000 F# 75199 WEB# 41511

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#### Incredible Business Opportunity!!!

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#### Wrap it up for the Holidays – Sagaponack

Stunning 4,000 sq.ft. gambrel with exquisitely appointed details and finishes. Gourmet kitchen, family room, FDR, LR with fpl., MBR w private deck and sitting room, 5 guest BR, 6 baths, htd. Gunite pool on 2 acres, room for tennis.

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#### Polished Perfection in Remsenburg

Meticulous attention to detail guided the construction of this 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath home with a spacious dining room, living room, massive master wing, finished basement, heated pool, cabana with bed/bath, basketball court, lush landscape on 1 acre. Virtual Tour.

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#### Best Value East Hampton Price Reduced

Move in conditon 4 BR, 3 BA home features a large light filled living room w/ stone fireplace, dining room, kitchen. There is first floor master bedroom with private bath, heated gunite pool on 1.4 acres

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#### New to Market – Bridgehampton

Fabulous new listing in Bridgehampton, renovated and expanded in 2005. This traditional home offers 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, family room/den, eat-in-kitchen, living room with fireplace. Great yard and pool and complete this turnkey listing!

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#### Prestigious Water Mill - Pool & Tennis

Privacy behind pretty hedges-This neat and sunny Post Modern home SOH near ocean offers 5BR,4.5BA including large master w/fpl, spacious floorplan for great entertaining, LR w/fpl, 2-car garage, full basement ready to be finished. Outdoor shower.

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#### Bike to Ocean – East Hampton

A fabulous opportunity for the discerning buyer, this South of the Highway property has much to offer. Main house has 3 bedrooms and baths. In addition there is a 1,000 sq. ft. artist studio, 50' pool, and great privacy.

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**NEW CONSTRUCTION** by a respected local builder awaiting your arrival. This home has special features among which are two master bedroom suites upstairs plus two bedrooms and a bath on the first floor. Hardwood floors throughout, central air, fireplace, and a full basement all in a fine neighborhood. Priced below market at \$735,000. F# 23746



**BUILDER'S OWN HOME!** Lovingly-designed Traditional with 3700 square feet offers 3 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, warm living room with fireplace and comfy library or den. The spacious eat-in-kitchen embraces a large bay window overlooking one acre of meticulously-landscaped grounds. Brick patio, mahogany decks and heated pool complete this country charmer. \$1,435,000. F# 23333



**BEST VALUE SOUTH OF THE HIGHWAY IN WAINSCOTT.** Built in 2004 on 1 acre, this 4 bedroom, 4.5 bath traditional is the perfect family retreat. A heated pool, an 8 person hot tub on the deck, and a finished basement with entertainment room will keep everybody happy. Amenities include central air, irrigation system and 2 car garage. Great Value & \$1,100,000 F# 21729



**YOU WILL HAVE VIEWS** of Three Mile Harbor and Gardiners Bay from this 2 bedroom, 1 bath cottage with a kitchen/dining area and separate living room. There is plenty of room to build up as well as out and you already have western views of sunsets forever. OURS EXCLUSIVELY. \$825,000 F# 23683



**GREAT LOCATION IN THE AMAGANSETT LANES.** Here is a 3/4 acre flag lot with a home that can be expanded or replaced to build a 3000 sq. ft. house. The current house has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, and an open living and dining room and kitchen. There is plenty of room for a pool. OURS EXCLUSIVELY. \$2,395,000 F# 23171



**SHINGLED TRADITIONAL** built in 1890! Here is your chance to own an original 3 bedroom, 2 bath gem with hardwood floors, brick fireplace, wood deck and room for a pool. Located in the Village close to restaurants, shopping and the train. Priced well at \$840,000 CO EXCLUSIVE F#23728



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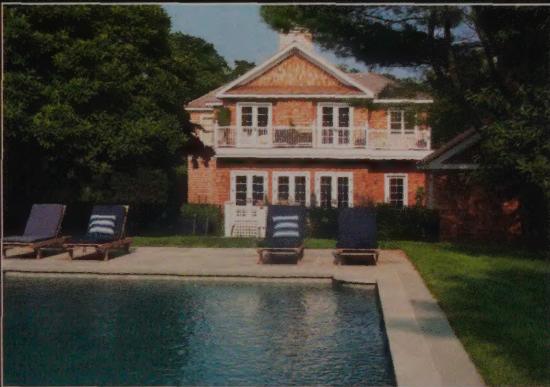
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### WALK TO OCEAN \$3,995,000

**Southampton Village** South of the highway Village gem. Features spacious living room with fireplace, formal dining room, large gourmet kitchen with Viking stove, 2 Asko dishwashers, sub zero refrigerator, marble counter tops, oversized sunroom overlooking beautiful lush gardens, master suite w/ private dressing room, 3 guest BRs. Heated gunite pool and N/S tennis court. Exclusive.

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### VILLAGE SOPHISTICATION \$3,295,000

**Southampton Village** Brand new architectural gem w/ dramatic two story foyer, sweeping staircase, living room with custom marble fireplace, great room with old world coffered ceiling, dining area and wall of French doors, professional Viking kitchen, five bedrooms, four baths. Mahogany deck leading to mature park-like grounds with heated 40' gunite pool, blue stone terrace and pool house. Detached carriage style garage. Co-Exclusive.

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### POND VIEW PARADISE \$2,130,000

**Southampton** Enjoy the good life in this private upscale community. 4,100 sq. ft. 5 BR, 4 1/2 BA traditional home has all the amenities. Gourmet kitchen, family room with f/p, formal DR, two story LR with f/p and 2 car garage. Central air and vac, gas hot air heat and public water. Situated on 1.4 acres with gunite heated pool surrounded by brick patio and room for N/S tennis court. Exclusive.

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### CHARMING VILLAGE HOME \$1,495,000

**Southampton Village** Charming Village Home situated in the heart of Southampton Village. Walking distance to Village stores. Completely renovated with a lovely garden. Currently a two family that can be converted back to a one family. Exclusive.

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### 4.5 SUBDIVIDABLE ACRES \$3,500,000

**Southampton** South of the highway, zoned R-20. Build one estate compound with expansive water views or create a compound of four 1 Acre plus properties of high end quality. Wonderful stands of virgin pines cover the property. This 4.5 acres is so unique for many reasons. Number one being very few of this size exist for development. This is the key component for someone to create something very special. Exclusive.

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**East Hampton** Secluded bright airy contemporary home set in mature white pine forest. High-ceilinged great room with towering stone fireplace, opening onto dining area, den/library, modern kitchen and summer-room. Master suite with two work areas and bathroom with spa-tub. Guest wing with two more bedrooms. Heated pool set private from main house with extensive patio area. Two car garage with studio above. Co-Exclusive.

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### 5.5 PRIVATE ACRES ON WATER MILL TOW RD \$1,125,000

**Water Mill** Fabulous opportunity to develop a family retreat. The parcel has a small one story house for the owner or staff to occupy while owners grand plan is implemented. Imagine space for manor house, pool, tennis, guest house and auxiliary structure. Perfect for someone interested in horses with room to keep them on the property. Close by are many riding trails. Exclusive.

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### ON THE SQUARE \$1,275,000

**Southampton Village** Turn of the century shingle style cottage in center of Southampton Village. Fully renovated with 3 bedrooms, 2.5 bathrooms, living room, dining room, gourmet eat-in kitchen looking out to private garden with brick terrace & heated pool. Brick floored garage with French doors doubles as pool-house. Exclusive.

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### GREAT BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY \$2,300,000

**Hampton Bays** Well known Hamptons night club, turn key, legal occupancy 400 , parking for 90 cars plus legal two 2-family houses, two 3-bedroom cottages. Current owners seeking approvals for 12 unit condominium complex. Co-Exclusive.

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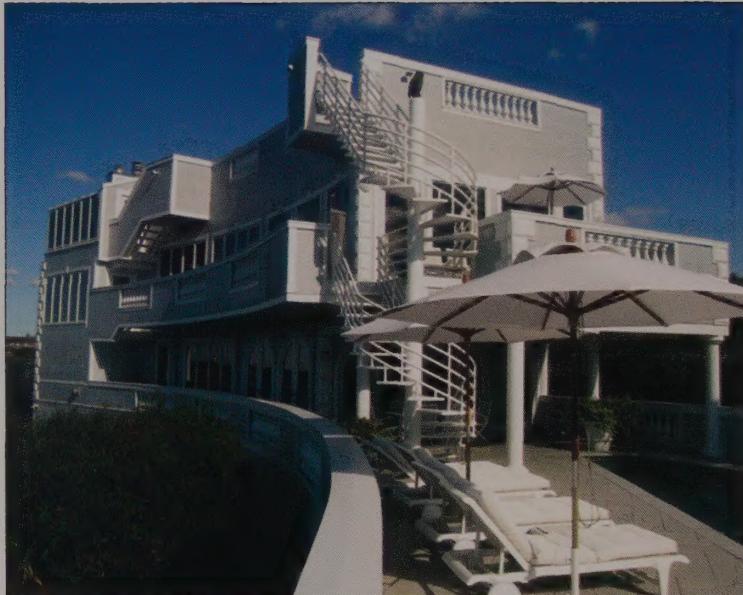


### New Construction - Bridgehampton

Stunning and brand new, this spectacular 6,605 sq. ft. gambrel style home is sited on a builder's acre in BH North. Features include 5 bedrooms, 6 full baths plus 1 powder room. State of the art gourmet eat-in kitchen with top of the line appliances and butler's pantry. 1,000 bottle wine room. Truly exquisite!

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### Three Waters - Dune Road, Bridgehampton

This contemporary Mediterranean-style home is situated where Mecox Bay meets the Atlantic Ocean. There's a LR w/fpl, a large family room w/fpl, and a professional kit. with adjacent dining space. The master bedroom w/fpl, has its own private roof deck with a 360 degree view of the Three Waters. There are 3 guest bedrooms and 3.5 baths. Another sitting room with a small kit. opens to the heated pool and spa.

Exclusive \$14,850,000 F# 28534 WEB# 40625

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### Spectacular Village Beauty

Restored 1820's Whaling Captain's home. Boasting 5000 sq.ft. living space - 5 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, EIK, 2 living rooms, dining room, den, screened in porch, 5 FP, pool approval, garage, CAC, large property. Pure elegance and a stroll to the prettiest village on the eastend.

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### 1850 Historic Home In Amagansett South

Charming home in Amagansett, sited on .75 acre of prime land, needs renovation and is full of original details and charm. Consists of 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, great room, library and family room. Walking distance to shops, restaurants and bike to ocean. Includes adjacent half acre flag lot.

Exclusive \$2,695,000 F# 28314 WEB# 37840

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Top Photo: (Mid to late 1940's) Founder Wilhelm K. Lohr (right) & son, William K. Lohr who is also seen in smaller photo fourth from left with SCNB Chief Lending Officer Robert C. Dick (second from left) and members of the Lohr family (counter-clockwise from left) Kenneth (Owner of Suffolk Precast), Eileen, Spencer, Griffin, Monica, Mark, Shay (Owner of East End Deco) and (in center) Linda Lohr-Hagen. Missing from photo, Austin Lohr, son of Monica and Mark.

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